



Blue Mantle

1955

To a
very sweet
kid
may be
always
Good luck
yourself
Manny

To the
pop girl of
the class
Good luck
Sheila

To a friend
I'll never forget.
Remember
Ann
a wonderful friend
and classmate.
Lots of love
"Case"

Good luck in everything
you do!
Kay

To a real swell
person and
wonderful
friend!
Good luck
Lorraine

To the friendliest
girl I know.
Love forever
Bob

To a real nice
kid who is
always ready
to lend a
helping hand,
Beta

To the Best friend I had
at S.M.A. a girl with ability
to tell off caps. flunk exams
and he liked by everyone
Always
Joe.

To a swell girl,
full of pep. May
succeed
yours.
Mary Ann

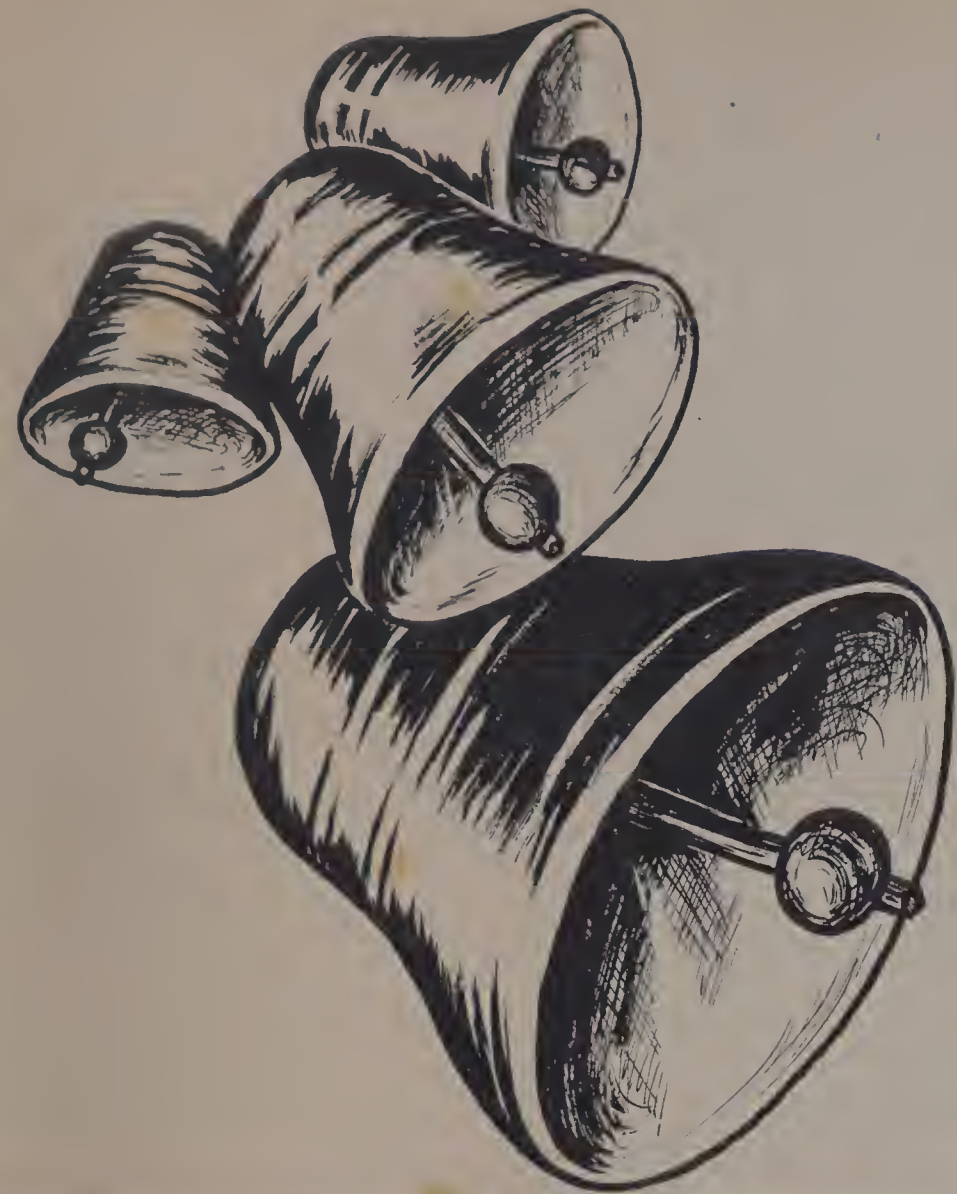
To Eric -
Best of every-
thing in the
future & all
the future
Remember all the
fun of the past &
Rich.

Ernie Davoren's

Hark...

Book

*The Bells of
St. Mary's*



... peal forth the glad tidings of a Golden Jubilee of service to Milford and its vicinity, by the Sisters of St. Joseph. Many have met long since, the Divine Teacher of Mankind; many have passed this way but once and now labor in other fields; and there are some who are still with us, who give unstintingly of their lives, love, and service.



1955

THE
BLUE MANTLE

Presented by

THE SENIOR CLASS

of

St. Mary's Central Catholic High School

MILFORD, MASSACHUSETTS

OUR BISHOP . . .

THE MOST REVEREND JOHN J. WRIGHT, D.D.





. . . presides at the Jubilee Mass for the Sisters of St. Joseph at six o'clock in the evening of December 12th, 1954. Reverend Michael Carney, Director of Religious in the diocese of Worcester, was the celebrant, assisted by Reverend John P. Farnon, Deacon; Reverend Edward Durkin, Sub-Deacon and Reverend Francis Pitroff, Master of Ceremonies.



THE JUBILEE . . .

Class officers lead the Seniors to Church the night of the Jubilee Mass . . . The entire school assists at a Mass celebrated by Father Farnon, Headmaster, the day following the Jubilee . . . The stage forms a beautiful background for the Sister's banquet . . . Bishop Wright preaches at the evening Mass . . . St. Mary's High and Grammar fill the Church for Mass in honor of the Sister's Jubilee.





. . . OF OUR SISTERS

Bishop Wright presides at the reception for the Sisters and people after the Jubilee Mass . . . Father Durkin, Father Faron, and Father Pitroff contribute to the cordiality of the banquet . . . Bishop Wright accompanied by a body-guard of Fourth Degree Knights leaves the Church after the Jubilee Mass . . . The head table reading from left to right: Father Faron, Sister Rose Benigna, Sister Charles Borromeo, Reverend Mother Mary Borgia, Father Pitroff, Sister M. Nativity, Superior, Sister M. Imelda, Sister St. Berchmans and Father Foley . . . The Sisters, including native Milfordians, leave the Convent for the Jubilee Mass.





St. Mary's in 1904

TIME MARCHES ON AS WE . . .

and

in 1954

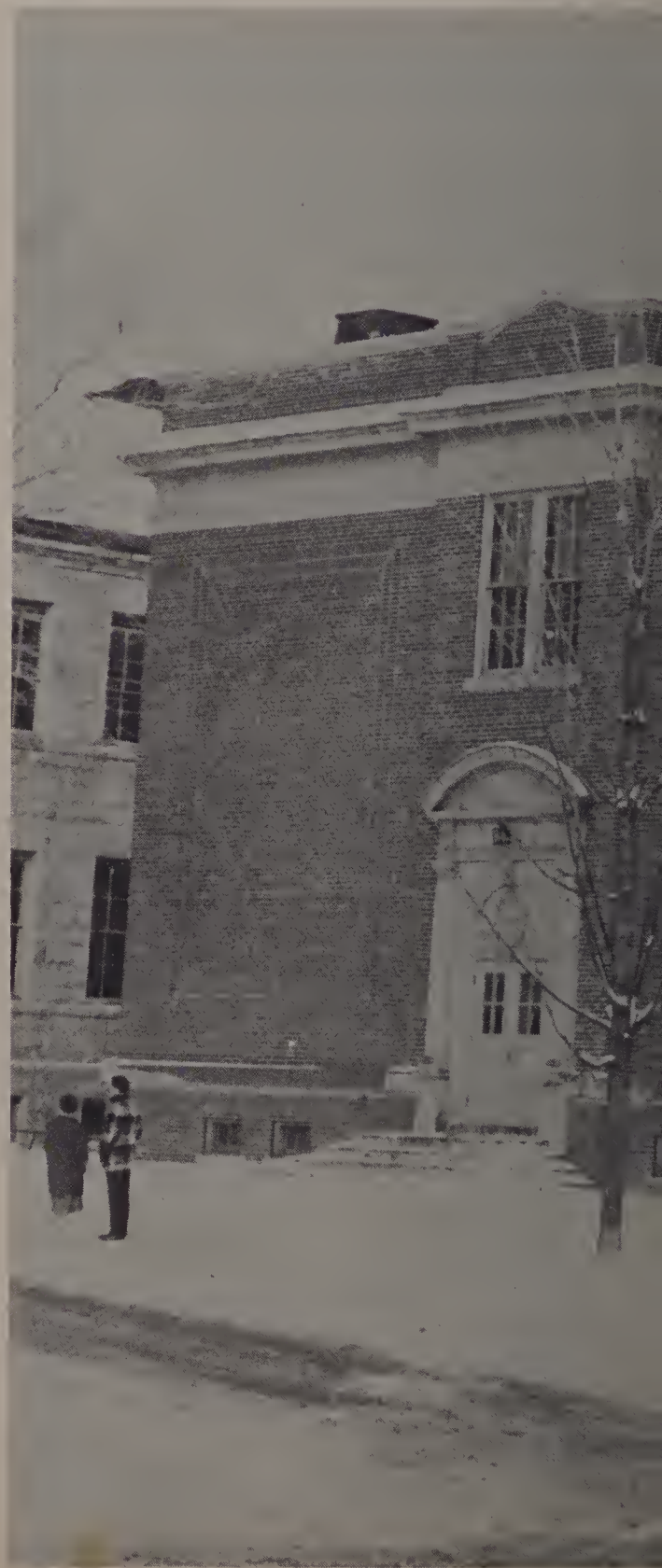
FACULTY

1904

Sr. M. Irene, Supr.
Sr. Chas. Borromeo
Sr. M. Visitation
Sr. St. Teresa
Sr. M. Martina
Sr. M. Pauline
Sr. M. Philip
Sr. Rose Benigna
Sr. M. Imelda

1954

Sr. M. Nativity, Supr.
Sr. M. Dorothea
Sr. St. Coletta
Sr. M. Maurice
Sr. Rose Concepta
Sr. Cecelia Joseph
Sr. William James
Sr. Mary James
Sr. John Gertrude
Sr. Imelda Joseph
Sr. Rose Agatha
Sr. Lawrence Joseph
Sr. John Elizabeth
Sr. Daniel Maria
Sr. Rose Helen
Sr. Joseph Anne
Sr. Miriam Patrice
Sr. Edward Maria
Sr. Francis Anna
Sr. Catherine Jerome
Sr. Rose Peter
Sr. Maria Assumpta



. . . MAKE PROGRESS THROUGH THE YEARS AT SAINT MARY'S

On the morning of August 30, 1880, the doors of St. Mary's opened for the first time to admit twenty-four girl students who were to begin a new era of learning in Milford.

Classes were first held in a remodeled stable on the Erskin Cook Estate until 1892 when the present granite Grammar School was built and 1924 when the present High School was built.

The first faculty, the Sisters of Notre Dame, consisted of nine nuns with Sister Philomena as Superior. In addition to the regular curriculum, the girls were taught many domestic duties such as sewing, knitting, crocheting, and embroidering.

From 1886 to 1904 when the last class was graduated under the Sisters of Notre Dame, fifty-five young

women received diplomas.

It was then that the Sisters of St. Joseph were brought here on August 18, 1904, to open the doors to co-education. The first Superior was the late Sister Irene, who saw an enrollment of more than three hundred boys and girls.

Besides many additions to the faculty, school curriculum and social activities, two new rooms are being added at present to the school itself.

Today the school has grown to an enrollment of eight hundred and six in the combined schools, and this past summer the school became St. Mary's Central Catholic High School serving fourteen parishes in the Milford area.





SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH

In 1807 a wise and holy nun was called to restore the dispersed Congregation of the Sisters of St. Joseph. Her name was Mother St. John Fontbonne. The inheritors of these blessed traditions are our present Sisters of St. Joseph.

Today these same traditions can be seen by those fortunate ones who come under the guidance of our beloved Sisters. For fifty uninterrupted years, the Sisters of St. Joseph have taught and guided the children of St. Mary's parish.

Each day, when we enter the portals of St. Mary's, we feel the influence of a Catholic school. It is a special privilege for us to receive a Catholic education. As we draw near graduation, we marvel at the Christlike patience, tireless industry, and conspicuous holiness of our teachers. They fulfill the double duty of teach-

er and advisor, always ready to help us in our difficulties and to encourage us in our undertakings. In their work with us they have sought no material gain, but have reaped spiritual merit. To them, their work is a labor of love, for they desire only to bring souls closer to our Divine Saviour and to inspire in all our hearts, love and devotion to our Blessed Mother.

The secret of love remains a mystery to the pagan world, but we understand and appreciate it as a reflection of the life of Christ. It comes from souls who try to walk in the footsteps of Mary and to follow the leadership of St. Joseph.

May their influence continue to be felt in the years to come, especially in the lives of all who come under their guidance.





REV. JOHN J. O'BRIEN
Director of Education



VERY REV. WILLIAM J. FORAN, V. F.



REV. JOHN P. FARNON
Headmaster

John P. Farnon



REV. FRANCIS J. PITROFF
Athletic Director



REV. EDWARD J. DURKIN
Confraternity Director



God love you, Evelyn! 1953 Sister William James
Sister Mary James

RITA M. LAMONTAGNE
Secretary

OUR FACULTY . . .

Sister Rose Copcepta
Writes in Ordinis!

Sister Rose Helen

REV. JOHN P. FARNON
 SISTER ROSE COPCEPTA
 SISTER WILLIAM JAMES
 SISTER JOSEPH ANNE
 SISTER CECILIA JOSEPH
 SISTER ROSE HELEN
 SISTER MARIA ASSUMP-
 TA
 SISTER SAINT COLETTA
 SISTER MARY JAMES
 MISS NANCY QUINN
 MR. ALBERT E. SAYLES
 MRS. MARGARET BAR-
 TON

Headmaster
 Principal
 Stenography, Bookkeeping
 Spanish, French
 Biology, English
 Mathematics, Chemistry
 French, Latin
 Algebra, Religion
 General Science, English
 Typing, Stenography
 History, Mathematics
 Speech and Drama

Best of Luck. Always.
Rita





MISS NANCY QUINN

A charming addition was made to the faculty of St. Mary's in September of 1954, in the person of Miss Nancy Quinn of Cambridge.

Upon completion of her studies at the Boston Academy of Notre Dame, Miss Quinn entered Regis College receiving there, her degree in Business Education.

Although Miss Quinn has been here only a short time, those of us who have come to know her, readily see the results of her friendly, warm, and sincere attitude toward all.

Best Wishes Always

Miss Nancy Quinn

ALBERT CHARLES SAYLES

After graduating from St. Mary's in 1944, Mr. Sayles attended Holy Cross College, served in the Navy, then headed for St. Francis College in Loreto, Pennsylvania, receiving there his B.A. degree.

In 1949, he returned to St. Mary's as athletic coach, and in 1950 as teacher-coach. His present duties are two-fold: teacher of mathematics and the classics, and coach of baseball and basketball. Under his guidance, the basketball team has compiled an excellent record, winning the Class "B" trophy at the Assumption tournament in 1954.

Those under him, hold great respect for his ability; those coming in contact with him, recognize his intense loyalty and devotion to St. Mary's.



MARGARET O'ROURKE BARTON

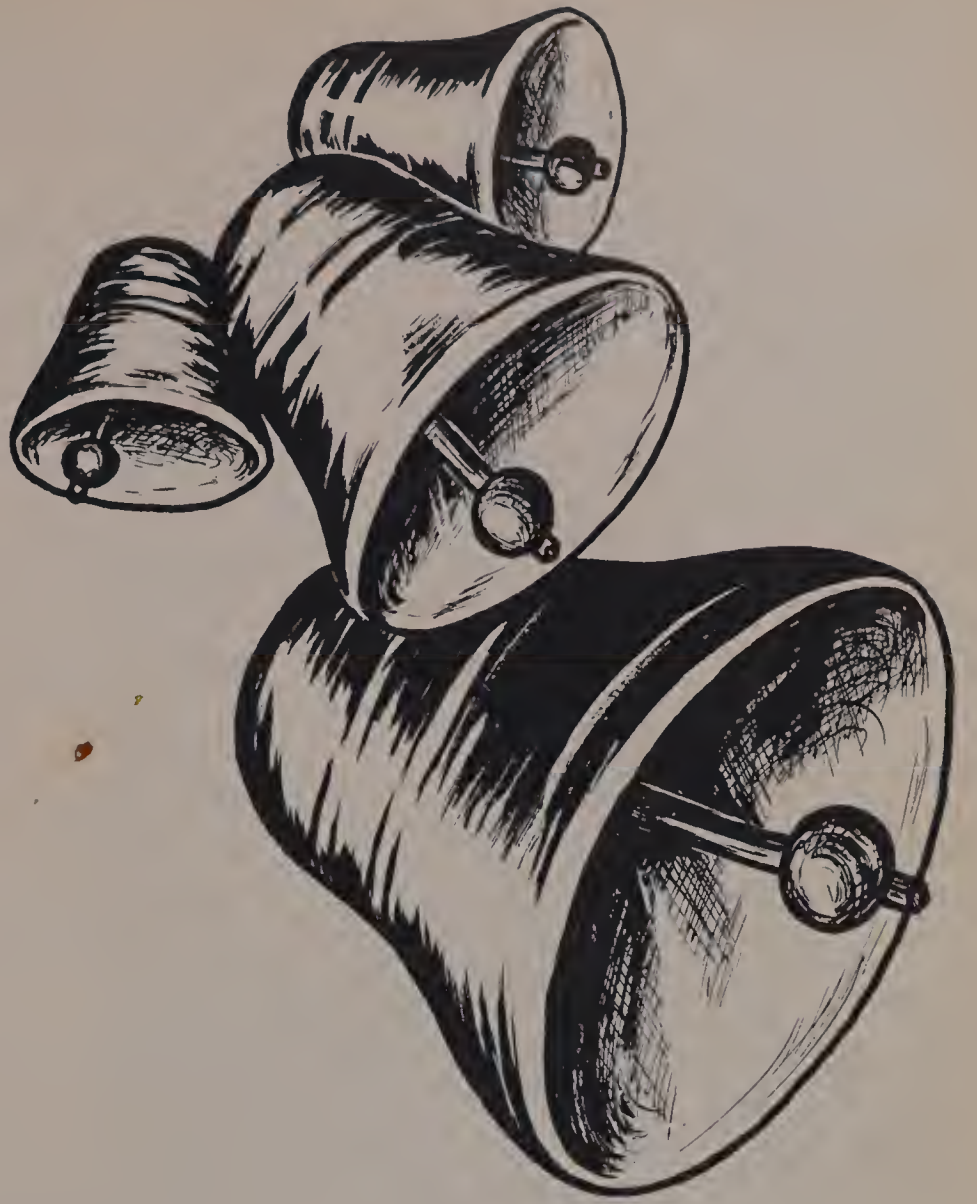
This year, for the first time at St. Mary's, a course has been offered in Speech under the direction of Mrs. Barton.

One can see from her extensive theatrical education, for she has studied at Pennsylvania State College, New York University and Madame Daraknova's School of the theatre in addition to private study, that Mrs. Barton is quite capable in her chosen profession.

Upon coming to St. Mary's, she has aroused interest in many students for dramatics, speech, and the verse choir. She will always be remembered for the invaluable aid and encouragement she has given the students of St. Mary's.

Envelope - Best of Luck In your Future
Coach Sayles





THE

CLASSES

FRESHMEN

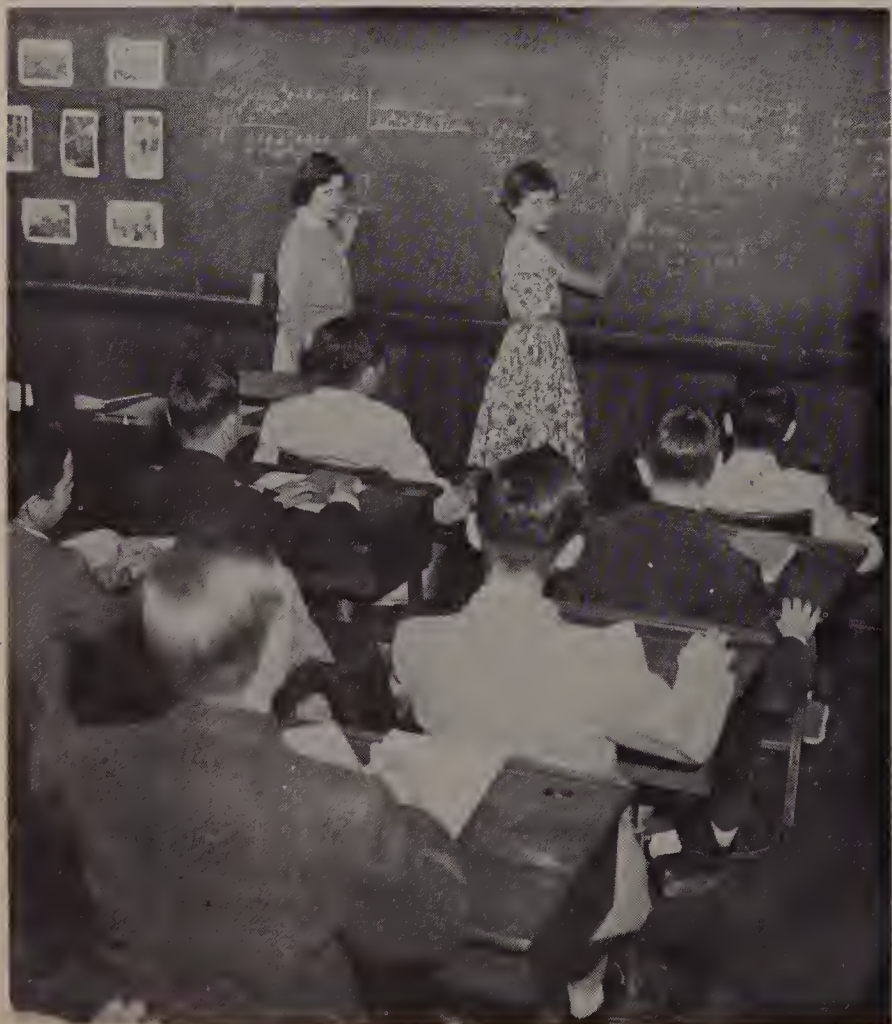


September of 1954, finds the Class of 1958 entering the portals of St. Mary's Central Catholic High, the first (freshman) class to begin under the new title. They abound with enthusiasm and zeal for the coming year and anticipate the mysteries of growing up to high school level, a year which will be filled with many new and exciting studies and activities.

Secretary of the Class of 1958, Joanne Morcone leads the way for President, Thomas Lynch; Vice President, Louis Salome and Fred Hartnett, Treasurer.

Sister Coletta times the rapidity with which K. Birmingham and C. Finn solve an example in division and an equation before an attentive Algebra I class.

The boys, R. Dubrawski, J. Raymond, T. Kozak, M. Robertson, and girls, T. Murray, E. Lynch and E. Birmingham, rehearse their parts in Spreading the News, a play read in Freshman English.





A keen interest in the Missions is manifested daily in Sister Mary James' Religion I class. Robert Dubrawski passes the mite box while T. Murray prepares to change the total on the board . . . Sister Maria Assumpta listens carefully to J. Lucier's translation and analysis of a sentence in the day's lesson . . . Persia and her ancient kings is a topic of interest to all students of Ancient History. T. Lynch points out this country of universal interest to his classmates . . . Members of the Economic Geography class, B. Clouart, M. Sharkey and L. Archambault, locate the coffee plantations of the world on the globe for the class . . . J. Creamer, seated, with J. Laliberte, P. Lamontagne and L. Dionne examine the contents of the new Science Kit bought for the General Science class this year.

SOPHOMORES



The Sophomore followers of Mary during her Marian Year, endeavor and practice charity, justice, patience and the virtues that find their full perfection in the heart of Mary Immaculate. During the daily routine of school life, they plod along through exams, report cards, athletic programs, and homework. Leadership and high principles are the requisites for their student-council members. Yet, despite all, they see in all these, only opportunities for self-improvement. May they continue to be living models of Mary!

Sophomore class officers check records for the Freshman Initiation. Left to right: Carol DiAntonio, Treasurer; Victor Ledoux, President; Claire Connors, Secretary; Robert Choquette, Vice President.

Stenography I intrigues the Sophomore Commercial students. Here Carol La Fauce dictates a letter to her classmates, waiting with poised pencils.

Problems in Business Arithmetic do not phase these sophomore students of Sister St. Coletta. L. Cahill writes the problem on the board while M. Mussulli attempts its solution.



Explorations in the far west and their effect on the world of the time are discussed and amplified by R. Krapp for the benefit of M. Dupuis and S. Dailey . . . The character of Silas Marner arouses a discussion in one of Mr. Sayles' English II classes. With hands raised are M. Dupuis, C. DiAntonio and A. Hannigan.

In French I, Joanne Murphy puts Barry Neal through the paces of a recognition test of important scenes in French literature . . . A Junior, J. Markunas, explains a geometric theorem to P. Taylor and P. Dunlap, who are looking for some extra help in a difficulty.



JUNIORS

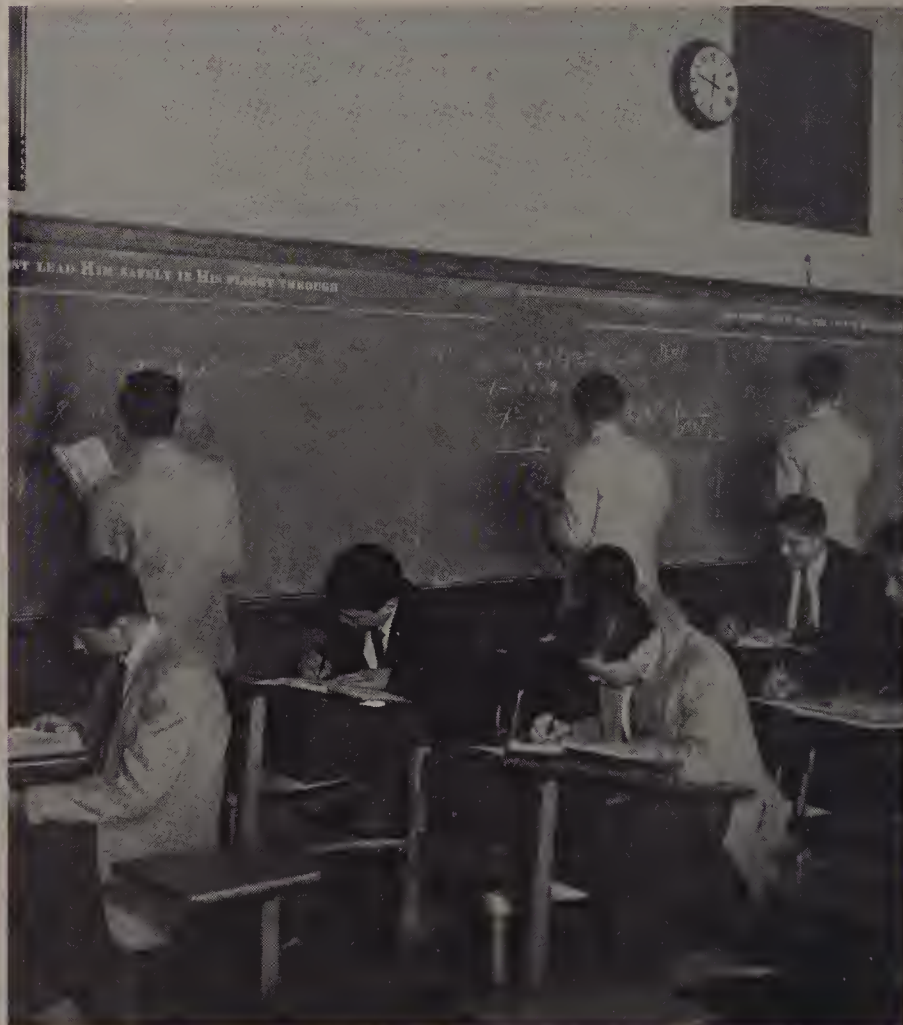
The Juniors this year join their senior classmates in praying, playing and studying. They join underclassmen in speech classes, in the Glee Club, on retreat at the Cenacle in Lancaster, at Boys' State, in the magazine drive, May procession and Tree planting day in June. They delve into realms of chemistry, stenography and the classics. The juniors of today are the parents, teachers and leaders of tomorrow.

Junior officers pose at the feet of Our Lady during her Marian Year. Eugene Smith, President; Frederick Heron, Vice President; Nancy Bonin, Treasurer and Mary Ann Watson, Secretary.



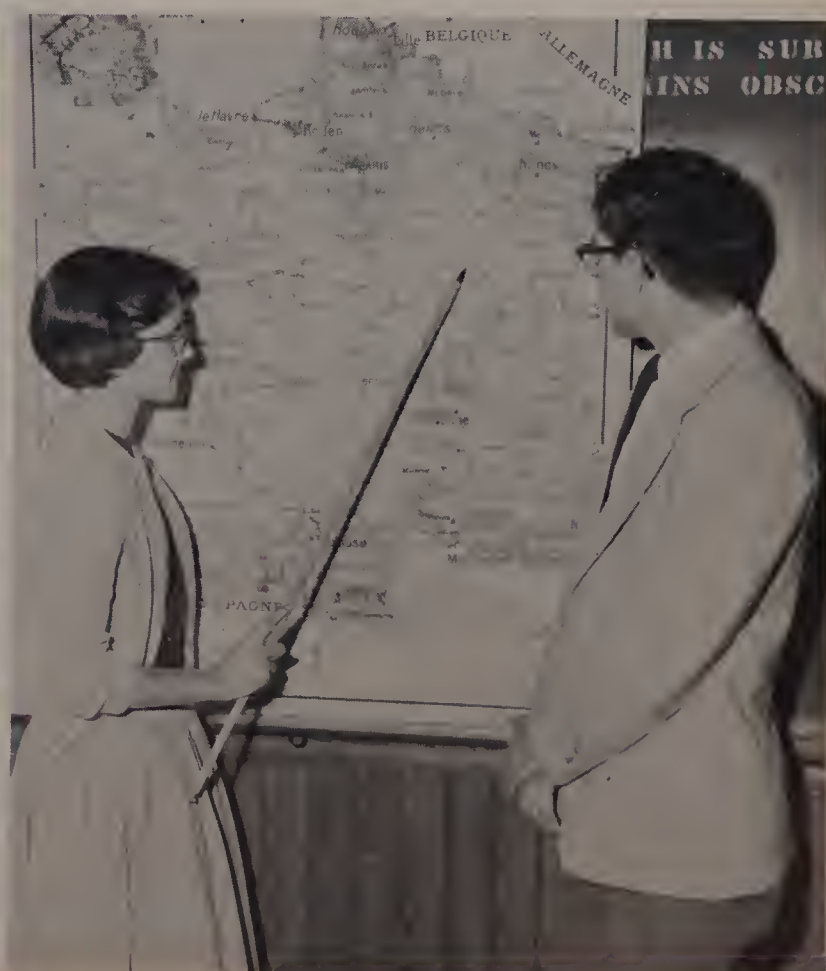
Spanish II students assiduously write synopses of irregular verbs while Madönnä Murphy meditates as to what comes next in her oral synopsis of "hacer."

Problems in Algebra II do not phase these students of Sister Rose Helen. J. Parker, F. Heron, E. Reilly, A. Hroszowy, D. Bartlett exercise their skill with a problem.





Purification of water holds the interest of these Junior chemists, D. Van Alstine, K. Evans, E. McCormack and A. Hroszowy . . . Short Stories, read in free time, were analyzed and bound together for an English III project for Sister Rose Helen. Standing: B. Baker, N. Bonin, M. Kearnan, P. Callahan, E. Smith. Seated: L. Battacoota, M. Kearnan and E. Reilly . . . Dictation and its subsequent transcription is a must for every Stenography II student. Miss Quinn dictates a letter to these alert Juniors who, with pencil poised, are ready to start on the first word . . . A knowledge of Biology is always interesting. Sister Cecilia Joseph checks B. Baker as she identifies the various specimens on the chart. E. Reilly awaits his turn . . . D. Van Alstine conducts E. Reilly on a sightseeing tour of the principal cities of France during a session of French II.



SENIORS



President
DANIEL M. DE YOUNG

Vice President
ELAINE C. G. DUPRE

Secretary
EVELYN M. DAVOREN

Treasurer
JAMES E. ENNIS

The Tale of Two Cities is a novel that has absorbed every class in English IV. David Geoffroy shows a model of Madame Guillotine to his keenly interested classmates.

The Liturgy of the church can be a long and intensive study. Mary Thomas, seated, and Dorothy Handfield, standing, compare the symbolism of these Liturgical posters.





Mr. Sayles briefs a quintet of boys on the foreign policy of the U. S. prior to a panel discussion . . . The theory of electronics seems to fascinate all embryo chemists. N. Bon Tempo, H. Wright and P. Meade, draw atomic diagrams under Sr. Rose Helen's watchful eyes . . . Is there ever a time when an assignment of French verbs does not mean a night of hard work? A. Smyth, L. Wickstrom, D. De Young and R. Goyette survey the result of last night's study for Sr. Joseph Anne . . . An important phase of Trigonometry is the conquest of logarithms, cologs, anti-logs etc. . . . J. DiNardo, N. BonTempo, C. Jeffers and L. Salome wade through the intricacies of a complex fraction to find that elusive answer . . . Taking dictation in shorthand becomes easier each year. Seniors of Sten. 3, find the symbols easy to remember as they take a letter from Sr. William James in a class in Office Practice.





The Divine Babe of Bethlehem receives the homage of six seniors as they visit the Crib on the Convent lawn. P. Boulanger, E. Bradley, J. Cahill, R. Baldiga, W. Barry, and M. Caccavelli.



**PATRICIA ANNE
BOULANGER**

49 Lake St., Linwood, Mass. Biology Club 3; Sidelights 2; Eucharistic League 4; Literary Club 3. "Bugsy" — Loves to dance . . . neat in appearance . . . has an aversion to zippers.



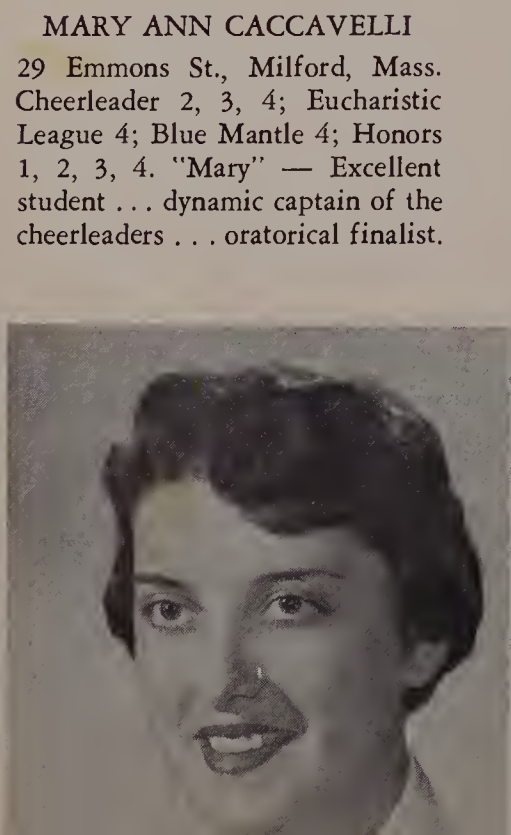
ROBERT STANLEY BALDIGA

2 Cutler St., Caryville, Mass. Physics Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Biology Club 4; Chemistry Club 4. "Diga" — Seems bashful but we wonder . . . blushes easily . . . smart dresser . . . allergic to French.



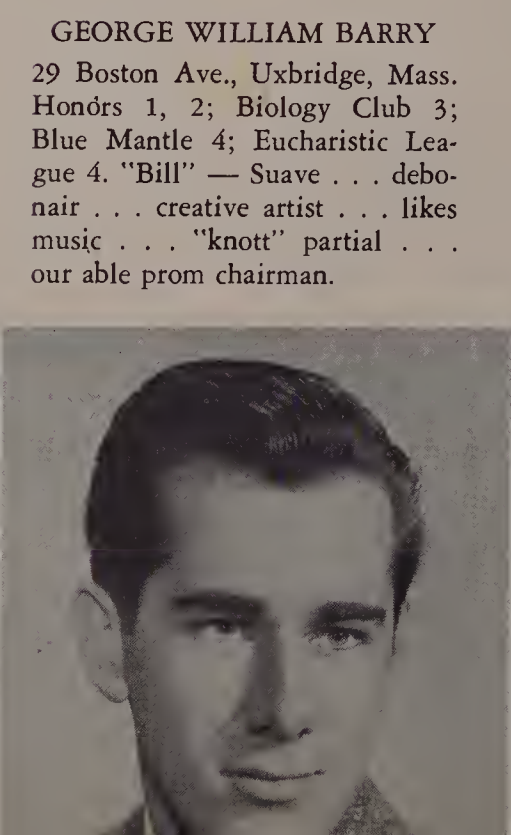
ESTHER THERESA BRADLEY

70 Pine St., Milford, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 4. "Esther" — Courteous . . . considerate . . . quiet and yet loves a good time.



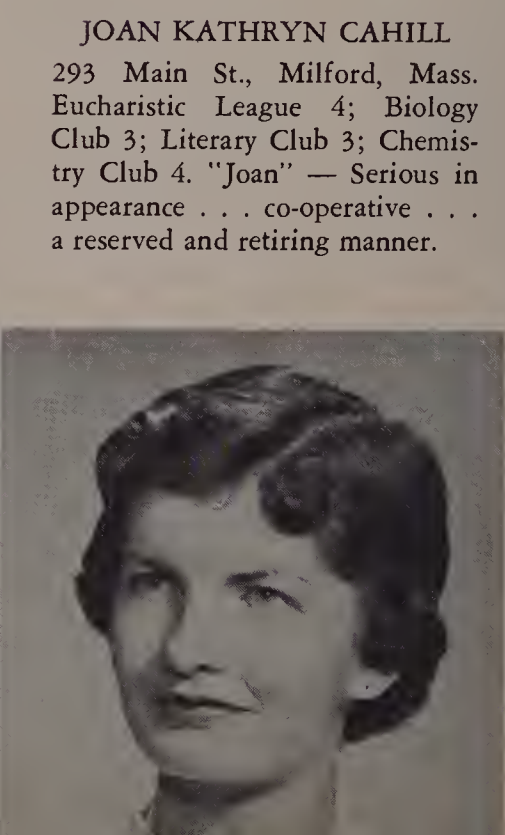
MARY ANN CACCAVELLI

29 Emmons St., Milford, Mass. Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Eucharistic League 4; Blue Mantle 4; Honors 1, 2, 3, 4. "Mary" — Excellent student . . . dynamic captain of the cheerleaders . . . oratorical finalist.



GEORGE WILLIAM BARRY

29 Boston Ave., Uxbridge, Mass. Honors 1, 2; Biology Club 3; Blue Mantle 4; Eucharistic League 4. "Bill" — Suave . . . debonair . . . creative artist . . . likes music . . . "knott" partial . . . our able prom chairman.



JOAN KATHRYN CAHILL

293 Main St., Milford, Mass. Eucharistic League 4; Biology Club 3; Literary Club 3; Chemistry Club 4. "Joan" — Serious in appearance . . . co-operative . . . a reserved and retiring manner.



R. Bogus, M. Converse, P. Beksha, (inside car), A Clement, E. Casey, and E. Coady are looking for a ride uptown.



ELEANOR LOUISE CASEY

33 Prospect St., Holliston, Mass. Biology Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Literary Club 3; Chemistry Club 4. "Casey" — Winsome . . . a toothpaste smile . . . with Dot and Ann, a trinity of friendship.



PAUL MICHAEL BEKSHA

76 Oakland St., Medway, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Biology Club 3; Chemistry Club 4. "Paul" — Good-natured . . . always cheerful . . . generous with his car . . . someone to be remembered.



ANN MARIE CLEMENT

16 West St., Milford, Mass. Biology Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Literary Club 3; Chemistry Club 4. "Ann" — Witty . . . full of fun . . . spontaneous laughter . . . our mission collector.

ELIZABETH ELLEN COADY

Chestnut St., Millville, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 3, 4. "Elizabeth" — Sedate . . . well-mannered . . . a generous worker . . . unmoved by pomp and circumstance.

RICHARD RONALD BOGUS

22 Chestnut St., Milford, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Chemistry Club 4. "Dick" — Nonchalant . . . object of good-natured kidding . . . one of the "Six" . . . "Where's Danny?"

MARIE LOUISE CONVERSE

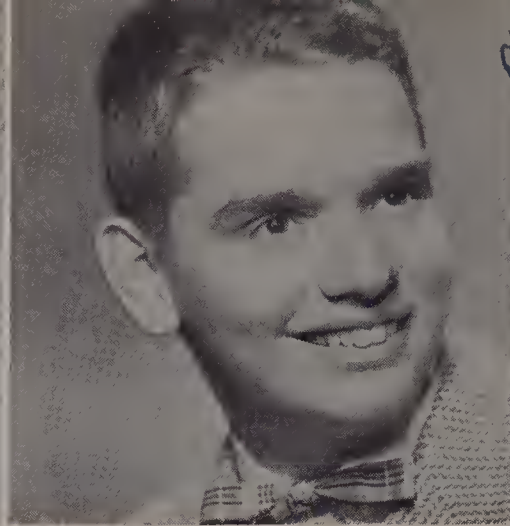
6 Pearl St., Caryville, Mass. Side-lights 3; Eucharistic League 4; Literary Club 3. "Mary"—Ardent basketball fan . . . noted for frankness . . . talkative . . . Cathy and Mary, a twosome.





THERESE ANN CURLEY

Main St., Upton, Mass. Commercial Club 3, 4; Eucharistic League 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Literary Club 3. "Terry" — Talkative . . . fresh and trim . . . irrepressible . . . an energetic cheerleader.



NOEL CARL BON TEMPO

138 Green St., Hopedale, Mass. Eucharistic League 4; Blue Mantle 4; Physics Club 3; Biology Club 2. "Noel" — A faithful altar boy . . . respectful . . . sincere in all he undertakes . . . Advertising Manager of the Blue Mantle . . . future M.D.



EVELYN CELESTE DAVOREN

3 Water St., Milford, Mass. Eucharistic League 4; Officer 4; Bowling League 3; Tennis 4. "Evie" — Good natured . . . personification of merriment . . . representative to Girls' State . . . an infinite extrovert.

*Who has done more
everything for me.
I'll never forget you
from
George*

SUSANNA ELEANOR
DAVOREN

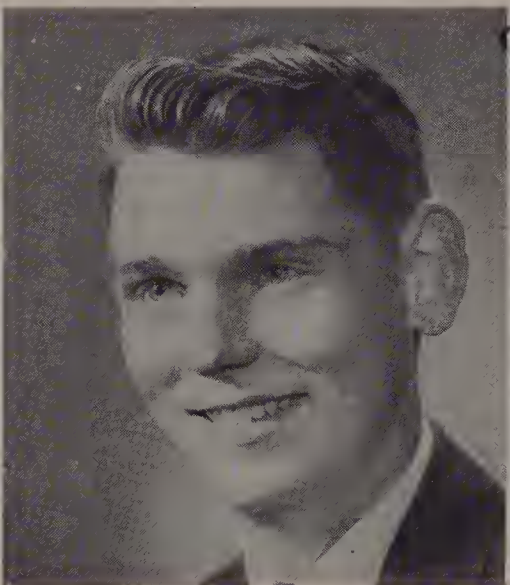
3 Water St., Milford, Mass. Bowling 3; Eucharistic League 4; Basketball 2; Dance Committee 3. "Sue" — Frank . . . determined . . . loyal to "Evie" . . . big-hearted . . . a true pal.

ROBERT PATRICK BURNS

147 No. Mill St., Holliston, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Biology Club 3; Orchestra 4. "Burnsie" — The Gravedigger's Gene Krupa . . . affable disposition . . . a regular guy.

MARGARET ANN DEAN

7 Adam St., Millis, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Chemistry Club 4; Athletics 2. "Peggy" — Active . . . ingenuous . . . seldom disturbed . . . zestful . . . accomplishes much . . . our super saleswoman.



The Davoren twins, Evelyn and Susan, wait on some of their classmates at the Pharmacy. N. Bon Tempo, M. Dean, R. Burns, and T. Curley.





JOANN MARIE DE MATTEIS
7 Plain St., Milford, Mass. Biology Club 3; Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Chemistry Club 4. "Joann" — Loyal supporter of school endeavors . . . amiable . . . a sincere nationalist.

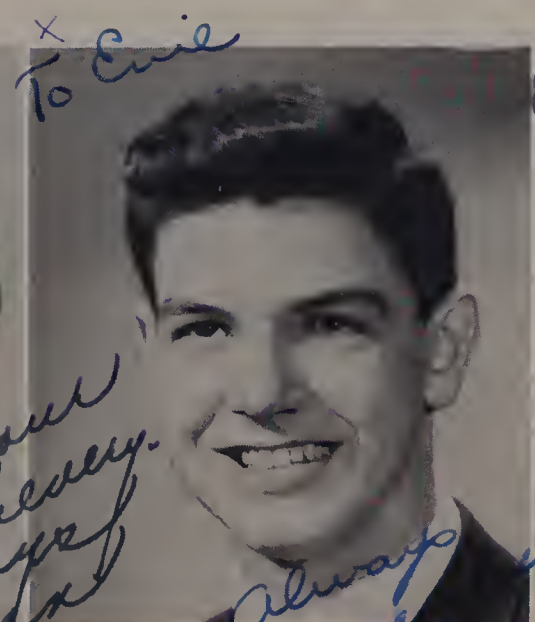
FREDERICK BURKE DARNEY
45 West Walnut St., Milford. Class Officer 2, 3; Eucharistic League 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Red Cross Representative 4. "Fred" — Dashing . . . collegiate . . . basketball co-captain . . . intelligent . . . always well-groomed.

IRENE VIRGINIA DEMERS
175 West St., Milford, Mass. Tennis 4; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 4; Literary Club 3. "Frenchie" — Slender, tender and tall . . . "une jolie fille" . . . our gift from Canada.

JEAN MARIE DES ROCHES
26 Phillips St., West Medway, Mass. Eucharistic League 4; Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Blue Mantle 4; Debates 4. "Jean" — Reliable . . . good worker . . . charmingly attractive . . . appealing combination of pensiveness and gaiety.

DANIEL MARTIN DE YOUNG
162 No. Main St., Uxbridge, Mass. Class President 1, 4; Blue Mantle 4; Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Oratorical Finalist 4. "Danny" — Popular yet modest . . . a "Gravedigger" . . . Good Government Representative . . . ambition that ends in achievement.

JOAN FRANCES DI NARDO
Taft Ave., Mendon, Mass. Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Debates 4; Blue Mantle 4; Eucharistic League 4. "Joan" — Lovely to look at . . . delightful to know . . . modest and unassuming . . . really enjoys living.



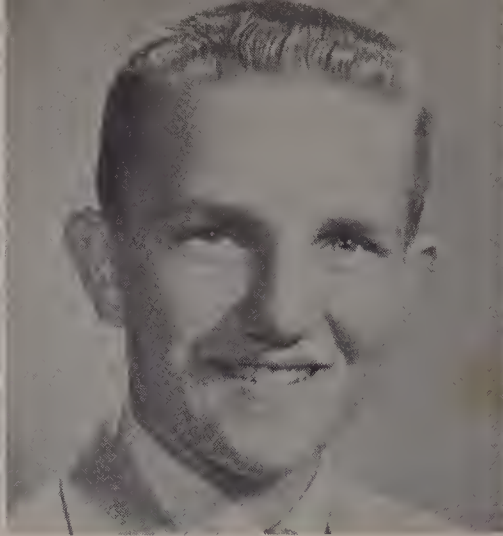
D. DeYoung, J. DiNardo, J. Des Roches, F. Darney, J. DeMatteis, and I. Demers examine the various phases of rubber at the Science Fair.





MARION ELEANOR
DONOVAN

184 Hopedale St., Milford, Mass.
Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Debates 4;
Blue Mantle 4; Eucharistic League 4. "Marion" — Able worker . . . intelligent . . . handy with a needle . . . a friend worth keeping.



FRANCIS ANTHONY
DUBRAWSKI

24 Prospect St., Medway, Mass.
Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Dance Committee 4; Physics Club 3. "Bunny" — Friendly . . . willing worker . . . adverse to study perhaps . . . genial smile . . . member of Prom Decoration Committee.



ELLEN MARY DRUGAN

167 Purchase St., Milford, Mass.
Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 4. "Ellen" — Quiet composure . . . trustworthy . . . courteous and thoughtful . . . a close friend of Corinne's.



The town of Milford decorated the light posts with laurel garlands, Santas and candy canes for the Christmas season! R. Dufresne, E. Drugan, M. Donavan, E. Dupre, C. Dunton and F. Dubrawski admire Santa's jovial grin on the lights in front of the school a few days before the Christmas holidays.

REGINA MARY DUFRESNE

198 South Main St., Hopedale, Mass. Eucharistic League 4; Literary Club 3; Commercial Club 3, 4. "Reggie" — Tall . . . slender . . . scout smile . . . quiet friendliness . . . a pleasure to know.

CHARLES ALFRED DUNTON

Preston St., Millville, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Physics Club 3; Chemistry Club 4. "Charlie" — Small in stature . . . has an aversion to homework . . . mischievous . . . Gibby's neighbor.

ELAINE GLORIA DUPRE

3 Maple Court, Linwood, Mass. Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 1, 4; Sidelights 2, 3; Commercial Club 3, 4. "Elaine" — Studious . . . loves a good time . . . accomplished pianist and organist . . . enjoyable companion.



Love + success in your future Elaine!



ROSALIE AGNES GIBBONS

Preston St., Millville, Mass. Student Council 2; Biology Club 3; Dance Committee 3; Eucharistic League 4. "Gibby" — Highly imaginative . . . likeable . . . pixie-like personality . . . effervescent . . . the "Gravedigger's Corpse."



JAMES EDWARD ENNIS

27 Forest St., Milford, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 4. "Jimmy" — Easy-going nature . . . everybody's pal . . . friendly smile . . . studies occasionally . . . loves fun.



CATHERINE LOUISE GREENE

Hartford St., Caryville. Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Literary Club 3. "Cathy" — Basketball enthusiast . . . roguish . . . ready for fun at all times . . . an Eddie Fisher fan.



R. Gibbons, (at piano), D. Handfield, W. Fitzgerald, C. Greene, L. Gregoire, J. Ennis, enjoy an impromptu song-fest.

LORRAINE ANN GREGOIRE

175 West St., Milford, Mass. Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Eucharistic League 4; Tennis 4; Sidelights 2, 3. "Lorraine" — Resolute . . . expressive, shy smile . . . a potential future secretary . . . demure "Laurie."

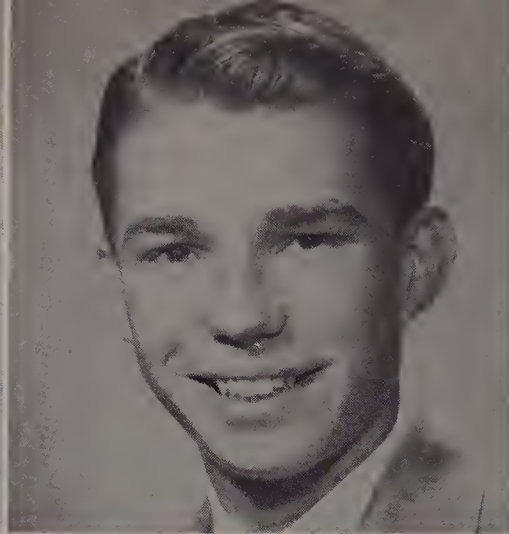
WILLIAM EDWARD FITZGERALD

8 Quinlan St., Milford, Mass. Class Officer 2; Eucharistic League 4; Youth Council President 4; Boys' State Rep. 3. "Fitzie" — Rollicking personality . . . flashing smile . . . a Gravedigger . . . jocular . . . our man about town.

DOROTHY MARY HANDFIELD

Glen Avenue, Upton, Mass. Honors 1; Eucharistic League 4; Sidelights 3; Commercial Club 3, 4. "Dot" — Serious appearance . . . dark-haired . . . hard worker . . . loves a joke "en francais."





*lots of luck to
a swell friend
- Tina -
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X
ROBERTA ANN HERLIHY
20 Hedá St., Uxbridge, Mass. Eu-
charistic League 4; Biology Club
2; Chemistry Club 4; Literary
Club 3. "Roberta" — "Hot-rod
Herlihy" . . . generous . . . hails
from that big "city" of Uxbridge.

ROBERT ANDRE GAGNE
8 Prospect St., Blackstone, Mass.
Physics Club 3; Eucharistic Lea-
gue 4; Literary Club 3; Chemistry
Club 4. "Bob" — Shy exteriorly
. . . can be serious at times . . .
rather a quiet manner . . . but
"still waters run deep" . . . all
in all, happy-go-lucky.

X
CHRISTINE ELIZABETH
JEFFERS
58 Barber St., Medway, Mass.
Eucharistic League 4; Biology
Club 3; Literary Club 3; Chemis-
try Club 4. "Tina" — Tall . . .
sociable . . . trustworthy . . . even
disposition . . . assiduous student
. . . all around companion.



Kneeling: R. Herlihy and C. Lavallee. Standing: R. Gagne, P. Kearney, C. Jeffers, D. Geoffroy, deco-
rate the stage for a C.Y.C. Dance.

PATRICIA EILEEN KEARNEY
53 Warwick Drive, Westwood.
Literary Club 3; Eucharistic Lea-
gue 4; Commercial Club 4. "Pat"
— Carefree disposition . . . vi-
brant . . . keen wit . . . delights
in the lighter side of life.

X
DAVID RICHARD GEOFFROY
6 West Walnut St., Milford,
Mass. Eucharistic League 4; Lit-
erary Club 3; Physics Club 3;
Chemistry Club 4. "Frog" —
Scientifically inclined . . . re-
served but ever friendly . . . loves
to drive his father's "Caddy."

CONSTANCE LEE LAVALLEE
145 Lincoln St., Framingham,
Mass. Chemistry Club 4; Literary
Club 4; Eucharistic League 4.
"Connie" — Sensitive . . . de-
mure . . . soft-voiced . . . short
in stature . . . a newcomer to
St. Mary's.



David



X

ANNMARIE LUCIER

154 Congress St., Milford, Mass.
Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 3, 4.
"Ann" — Reserved . . . yet independent . . . delights in roaming the Halls . . . quite self-assured.



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GEORGE THOMAS GLENNON

126 West Spruce St., Milford, Mass. Class Officer 2; Eucharistic League 4; Physics Club 3; Literary Club 3. "Les" — Quiet . . . has a friendly disposition . . . unassuming . . . courteous . . . partial to Milford High.



MARGARET MARY LYNCH

1 Oak St., Uxbridge, Mass. Side-lights 1, 2; Eucharistic League 4; Biology Club 2; Literary Club 3. "Margie" — Determined . . . quiet yet not passive . . . loves to read . . . always agreeable.



M. Lynch, P. Meade, G. Glennon, C. McCue and R. Goyette discover the Senior Prom date, February fourth, on the school activities calendar. Heavens! so near?

CAROL ANN McCUE

Ironstone St., Millville, Mass. Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Blue Mantle 4. "Carol" — Dares to be different . . . energetic . . . confident . . . competent . . . our own June Lockhart.

ROBERT JOSEPH GOYETTE

62 School St., Linwood, Mass. Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Eucharistic League 4; Class Officer 3; Biology Club 3. "Bob" — Student extraordinaire . . . genial . . . argumentative . . . possesses a fluent vocabulary.

PATRICIA ANN MEADE

13 Poplar St., Milford, Mass. Eucharistic League 4; Bowling 3; Biology Club 3; Tennis Club 4. "Meadie" — Talkative . . . easy-going . . . seldom seen without her pal, "Smitty."





MADONNA ANN MURPHY

9 McCaffrey St., Uxbridge, Mass. Eucharistic League 4; Literary Club 3. "Donna" — Expressive brown eyes . . . charming personality . . . enthusiastic and friendly.



MICHAEL JOSEPH
HROSZOWY

11 Whipple Ave., Blackstone, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Physics Club 3; Chemistry Club 4. "Mickey" — Dislikes to study . . . mischief personified . . . very generous and willing always.



MARY ANNE MURRAY

11 South Main St., Milford, Mass. Dance Committee 3; Blue Mantle 4; Eucharistic League 4; Honors 3. "Anne" — Pleasant . . . wonderful sense of humor . . . always ready to render a service.

ELEANOR MARIE MUSSULLI

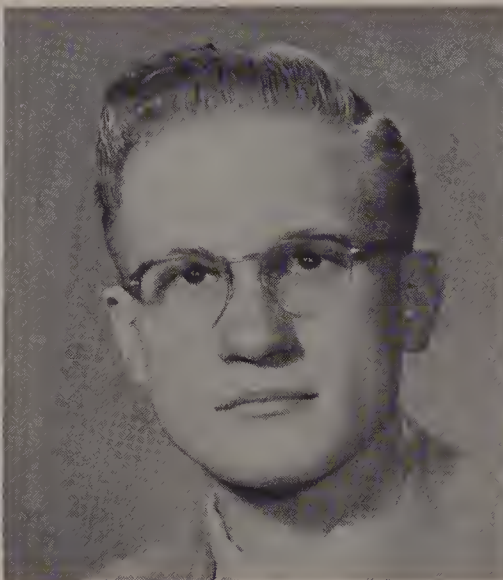
8 Pond St., Milford, Mass. Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Eucharistic League 4; Sidelights 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 3, 4. "Eleanor" — Self-assured . . . efficient . . . congenial . . . has a zest for living.

FRANCIS LOUIS HVIZDOS

Mendon Road, North Smithfield, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Physics Club 3; Chemistry Club 4. "Yogi" — Likes to play a bit . . . allergic to real study . . . practical joker . . . yet has nice disposition and friendly manner.

PATRICIA ANN MUSSULLI

8 Pond St., Milford, Mass. Dramatics 2; Eucharistic League 4; Biology Club 3; Chemistry Club 4. "Pat" — Casual grace . . . enviable hair . . . quiet yet pleasant to know.



Wonderful! A new gas stove in the kitchen! Let's make some fudge. Admirers are M. Hroszowy, E. Mussulli, M. Murray, F. Hvizdos, M. Murphy, and P. Mussulli.





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NANCY LOUISE NEGUS

Brook St., Upton, Mass. Sidelights 1, 2, 3; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Blue Mantle 4. "Nancy" — Well-liked . . . fond of parties and dances . . . a neat dresser . . . good luck.



RUSSELL DANIEL KRAPP

3 Fair St., Uxbridge, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Physics Club 3; Chemistry Club 4. "Russ" — Amateur radio ham . . . conscientious student . . . polite . . . thoughtful . . . competent in the scientific field.



CORINNE ANNE O'HARA

5 Farm St., Caryville. Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Eucharistic League 4; Student Council 2; Sidelights 3. "Corinne" — Genuine . . . dependable . . . soft voice combined with a gentle disposition . . . a good sport.

Handwritten notes:
 Russell Krapp
 the best
 gal at St. Mary's
 life of St. Mary's
 seat of truth.
 Russell some, Krapp.

BARBARA ANN RACINE

12 Huntoon Slep, Milford, Mass. Eucharistic League 4; Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Blue Mantle 4; Debates 4. "Barbie" — Exceedingly loquacious . . . diligent . . . our gift to the nursing profession.

ROBERT JOSEPH LUCHINI

7 Dominic St., Milford, Mass. Basketball 3, 4; Eucharistic League 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 2. "Duke" — Rugged . . . baseball captain . . . regular guy . . . lends a helping hand.

MARY LORETTA RICHARDS

75 High St., Milford, Mass. Honors 2; Biology Club 2; Eucharistic League 4; Literary Club 3. "Mary" — Pastel porcelain . . . blond hair . . . blue eyes . . . soft-spoken and serene.



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A group of seniors get into a huddle to compare outlines and the highlights of "The Tale of Two Cities" previous to mid-year exams. Clockwise are: R. Krapp, C. O'Hara, M. Richards, B. Racine, N. Negus and R. Luchini.

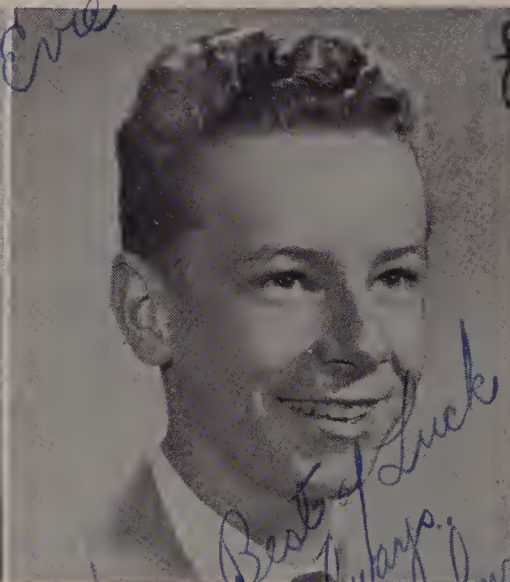




Examining the birds in the Science Fair Exhibit are, left to right: F. O'Neil, A. Smyth, D. Rogers, M. Thomas, L. Salome, J. McCaffrey.



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DOROTHY ALLEN ROGERS
8 Leonard St., Milford, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 4. "Dot" — Shy personality . . . small in stature . . . but good things come in small packages.



John
Best of Luck
Always
John
JOHN MATTHEW
McCAFFREY
Snow St., Millville, Mass. Physics Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Literary Club 3; Spanish Club 4. "John" — Soft-spoken . . . co-operative . . . un buen muchacho . . . looks and character complimenting each other.



Lois
To a wonderful kid, full of vim & vigor. What a sport! You've been sporting around your neck lately. Remember.
Lois
15-5
LOIS MARILYN SALOME
Lincoln St., Millville. Honors 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2; Debates 4; Eucharistic League 4. "Lois" — Ambitious . . . our future "Elms" girl . . . good student . . . good friend . . . good luck.

ANN MARIE SMYTH
29 Leonard St., Milford, Mass. Oratoricals 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Class Officer 1; Eucharistic League 4. "Smitty" — Junior Red Cross leader . . . dignity sprinkled with humor . . . oratorical winner 1953.

FRANCIS EDWARD O'NEIL
18 Fells Ave., Milford, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 3, 4. "Francis" — Helpful and courteous at all times . . . steadfast character . . . earnest . . . chums with "Bob" W . . . the quiet type.

MARY FRANCES THOMAS
Wood St., Hopkinton, Mass. Side-lights 3; Eucharistic League 4; Bowling 4; Commercial Club 3, 4. "Mickey" — Petite . . . happy-go-lucky . . . even-tempered . . . always looks for the silver lining.





Join us? D. Wilkinson, A. Volpe, K. Fahey, L. Wickstrom, R. Wasnewski, H. Wright invite us to sing.



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KATHLEEN MARIE FAHEY

West Spruce St., Milford, Mass. Cheerleader 3, 4; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Athletics 2. "Kathy" — Vivacious cheerleader . . . sunny nature . . . impulsive . . . possessor of an indomitable spirit.



ROBERT JOSEPH
WASNEWSKI

6 School St., Medway, Mass. Commercial Club 3, 4; Literary Club 3; Sidelights 2, 3. "Bob" — Quiet . . . serious . . . always ready to lend a helping hand . . . even disposition . . . a courteous gentleman.



X
LOIS ELIZABETH
WICKSTROM

Chestnut Hill, Millville, Mass. Sidelights 3; Eucharistic League 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Blue Mantle 4. "Lois" — Lithe-limbed and flaxen-crowned . . . argumentative . . . spirited . . . merry interpreter of life.

DOROTHY MARIE
WILKINSON

296 Main St., Milford, Mass. Eucharistic League 4; Dance Committee 3; Biology Club 3; Literary Club 3. "Dottie" — Frank . . . possesses an independent nature . . . carefree . . . enjoys a good time.

HERBERT EDGAR WRIGHT

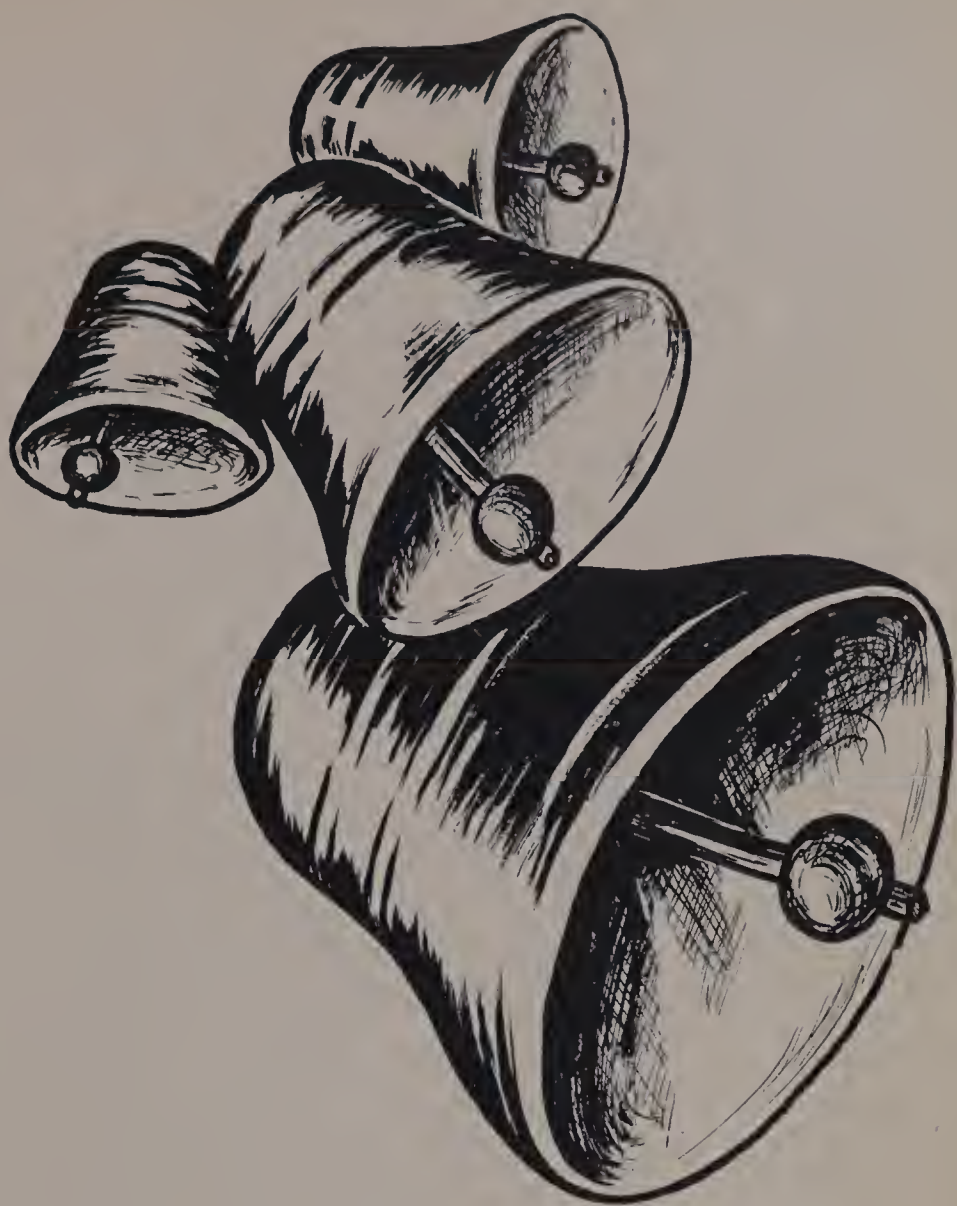
16 Cherry St., Milford, Mass. Biology Club 3; Dance Committee 3; Eucharistic League 4; Literary Club 3. "Herb" — The Gravedigger's Les Paul . . . easy-going . . . never worries . . . smooth . . . Fizzie's buddy and ours.

ANNA MARIE VOLPE

36 Pine St., Milford, Mass. Literary Club 3; Eucharistic League 4; Bowling 3; Commercial 4. "Anna" — Diminutive . . . pleasing personality . . . a perfect combination of vim, vigor and vitality.







THE

ACTIVITIES



GLEE CLUBS

JUNIOR



SOPHOMORE



FRESHMAN

MAY I SING TO YOU?

À LA EDDIE FISHER

Father Farnon, a wizard at the keys, turns to ask what we would like to have him play.

The Senior Glee Club prepares for the grand finale, graduation day.





ORCHESTRA

Drums roll as St. Mary's Orchestra makes its debut at the Halloween Dance, sponsored by St. Joseph's Guild. Though few in number, the melodic strains of two accordions, a guitar, a saxophone, a piano and drum, resound through the crowded auditorium, keeping the dancers "tripping the light fantastic toe" in perfect rhythm. This was but the prelude to a second performance at Thanksgiving when the Seniors sponsored a dance for underclassmen and friends. Its name makes us shudder "The Gravediggers"—horrors!! but the popular songs lost none of their entertainment appeal in the harmony rendered by our School Orchestra.

Above: Pianist for "The Gravediggers," the school orchestra, is Daniel De Young, Class President and popular senior.

Below: The Gravediggers entertain at the Halloween Dance sponsored by St. Joseph's Guild. Left to right: W. Fitzgerald, D. DeYoung, R. DeYoung, R. Bogus, R. Burns, R. Gibbons, H. Wright.





CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

1. Verse Choir
2. Pianist, C. Connors. Soloist, Paul Donnelly, Winter Wonderland.
3. Pianist, R. Lamontagne; Soloist, Mary Curley; White Christmas.
4. Christmas Bell Drill, Piano, E. Dupre, T. Curley, P. Kearney, R. Dufresne, A. Lucier, I. Demers, A. Volpe, L. Gregoire, E. Mussulli. Senior Commercial students.
5. Individual Entertainers—M. Catusi, J. Catusi, A. Smyth, P. Hayes, M. Murphy, P. Hurd, Accordion, B. Baker, D. De Young, President of 1955 who presided, J. Gaulin, D. Hayes, R. Imbruno, N. Desjardins.



THE DRAMATIC

THE MYSTERY OF THE LOCKED ROOM

FRESHMEN—Standing: J. Morcone, J. Flaherty, P. Hayes, J. Creamer. Seated: H. Cahill, K. Imbruno, D. D'Errico, R. De-Young.



NO GREATER LOVE

SOPHOMORE—Seated: S. Johnson, R. Murphy, V. Ledoux. Standing: A. Abbuio and P. Hurd.



LIFE WITH WILLIE

JUNIOR—Standing: V. Shaughnessy, C. Tieuli, J. Catusi, R. Dunlap. Seated: N. Armstrong, and E. Smith.



CLUB

JENNIE KISSED ME

Mrs. Barton, Dramatic Coach, prepares Miss Stern (Susan Davoren) for her appearance in the first act . . . Sr. Mary of the Angels (Lois Wickstrom) submits the proposed school uniform, modeled by Shirley Tirabossi (Kathleen Fahey) for Father Moynihan's approval . . . The girls of St. Matthew's Academy, Harry (M. Murphy), Joe, (L. Gregoire), and Mary, (E. Davoren), plead with Fr. Moynihan (F. Darney) for permission to form a Trail and Camp Club. Owen Parkside, (R. Goyette), odd-job man, is an attentive listener . . . Mrs. Deazy (Mary Caccavelli) proudly introduces Jennie (Ann Smyth) her niece, to Fr. Moynihan, who at the present moment has a visitor, Michael Saunders, (W. Fitzgerald). . . . Priscilla (P. Mussulli) and Jane (J. Des-Roches) are discussing Jennie's appearance with Fr. Moynihan, when a visitor, Mr. Parkside (R. Luchini) is announced.



THE

SNO - BALL HAS AN



1. S. Davoren, E. Casey, J. DesRoches, J. DiNardo, L. Wickstrom, C. Jeffers. 2. J. DiNardo, Prom Queen E. Davoren, Pres. D. DeYoung, L. Wickstrom. 3. E. Bradley, M. Dean, D. Rogers, M. Richards. 4. P. Kearney, A. Clement, K. Fahey, T. Curley, L. Salome, A. Volpe. 5. Grand March—A. Smyth, D. DeYoung, E. Dupre, D. Gosselin, E. Davoren, R. Luchini, J. DesRoches, W. Fitzgerald. 6. Jean DesRoches and Bill Fitzgerald snapped as they left after the Sno-Ball.

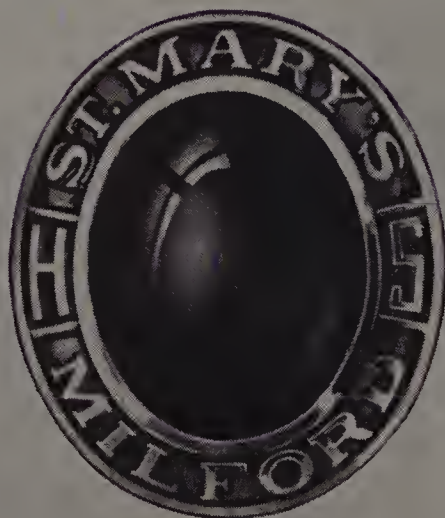
INTERNATIONAL FLAVOR



1. A. Smyth, P. Meade, E. Davoren, N. Negus, I. Demers, L. Gregoire. 2. Dancing to the sweet melody of "Sincerely." 3. E. Dupre, B. Racine, J. DeMatteis, P. Boulanger, A. Lucier, E. Mussulli. 4. L. Gregoire, J. Ethier, P. Boulanger, G. Leblanc, I. Demers, S. Plante. 5. Attendants, A. Abbuiso, J. DiNardo, Queen E. Davoren, Pres. D. DeYoung, L. Wickstrom, P. Meade. 6. "Melody of Love" makes our hearts beat faster on this *enchanted evening*.

THE RING

Leading the Grand March are B. Racine and Class President, R. Goyette . . . Father Farnon gives an inspiring talk on the significance of the ring . . . J. Des Roches and W. Barry are caught off guard as they pass through ring . . . Detailed decor of our new school ring.



DANCE

Happy at receiving their rings, the Class of 1955 enjoy the music at their Ring Dance. . . Class Officers, F. Darney, M. Caccavelli, A. Volpe and R. Goyette smile happily at being the first to initiate the Ring at S.M.A. . . . More dancing . . . more fun . . . more pictures . . . at the Ring Dance . . . First to receive his class ring from Father Farnon and Sister Rose Concepta is class President, R. Goyette.



THE DCY LEAGUE

C.W.C. Junior League officers are: C. Cuniff, A. Smyth, E. Davoren, President C. Pyne, C. Labrie and S. Davoren.



Dialogue Mass by D.C.Y. League of the High School. Rev. John P. Farnon, celebrant . . . Rev. Gregory Tom incenses the altar during the celebration of a Russian-Ukrainian Rite Mass in St. Mary's Church, January 19th . . . Sisters of St. Joseph are members of the congregation

assisting at the Mass of the Eastern Rite. Delegates were present from the Southern area of the D.C.Y. Council . . . Part of the crowd of D.C.Y.'ers who attended the Teen-Age Dance sponsored by the Confraternity group under the direction of the Rev. Edward Durkin.





JUNIOR RED CROSS

James Catusi, President of the Junior Red Cross unit at St. Mary's, checks the 1954-55 membership list. Happy over the increase in new members are J. Davoren, Vice President; Hope Cahill, Secretary; and Patrick Doherty, Treasurer.

Another 100 percent Membership class in the Junior Red Cross. Sr. William James' seniors, watching A. Volpe, class representative, post the sticker on the window. Seated: K. Fahey. Standing: C. Greene, T. Curley, E. Mussulli. Congratulations! The Red Cross Junior Unit, represented by delegate Ann Smyth, presents Carol Smith with a sticker for her classroom; congratulations are in order to Sr. M. James and her class—100 percent enrollment in the Junior Red Cross.

Fred Darney, school representative at Junior Red Cross meetings in the Worcester Chapter House, presides over a regular meeting of the St. Mary's Unit.

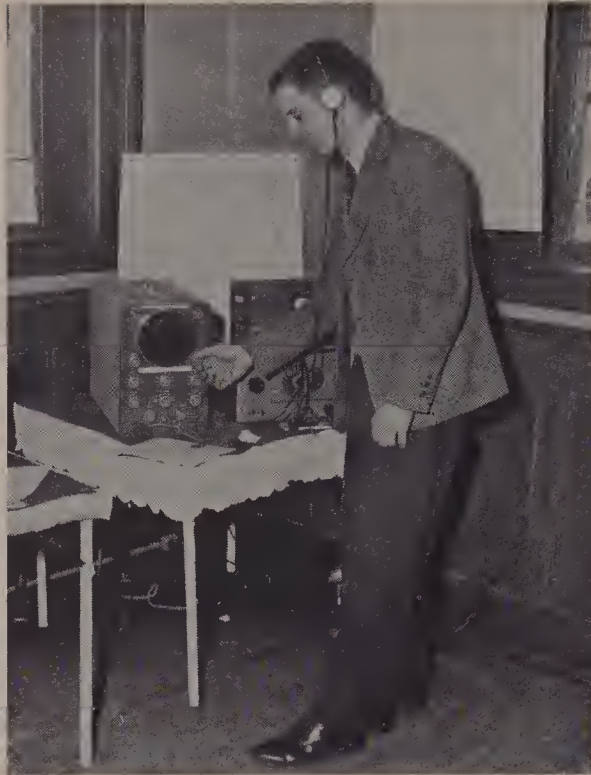
We are enrolled officially in the Junior Red Cross for 1955.



THIS SCHOOL IS ENROLLED IN THE
AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS
FOR THE YEAR 1955

CHAIRMAN
Worcester Chapter

Thomas J. ...
CHAIRMAN
Junior Red Cross



THE SCIENCE

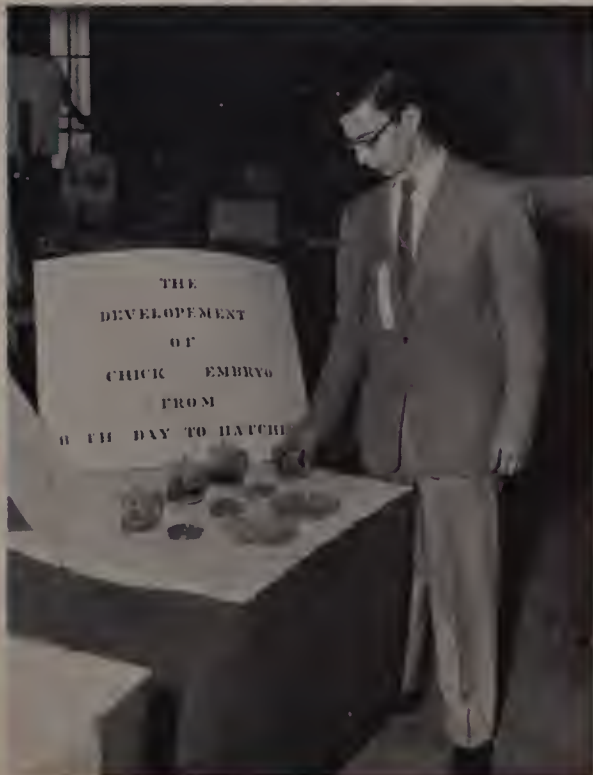
The Solar System, Paul Cantalupo . . .
 Oscilloscope, Russell Krapp . . . Copper
 Electroplating, Daniel DeYoung . . .
 A general view of the visitors to our
 annual Science Fair . . . the nozzle of
 the Oil Burner, Joseph Fournier . . .
 Non-poisonous reptiles, Bernice Baker
 . . . a Barograph, Raymond Morin.





FAIR

Naval Architecture, D. Geoffroy . . .
Teeth, C. Tieuli . . . First Prize Winners.
Standing: R. Krapp, J. Daley.
Seated: C. Tieuli, Fr. Farnon, W. Jaworski . . .
Our Supervisors, Sr. M. St. Martinien, S.S.A., and Sr. M. Xavier, R.S.M.,
watch W. Jaworski make foam rubber . . .
AC-DC Current, J. Daley . . .
Chicken Embryo, L. DesJarlais . . .
Blood Corpuscles, E. Davoren.



COMMERCIAL

T. Curley and K. Fahey dexterously manipulate the adding machines . . . "Shorthand is our business" declare these senior students. Under the watchful eye of Miss N. Quinn, the transcription progresses smoothly and unruffled to the typewriters. Everybody ready for a speed test? . . . R. Wasnewski, N. Negus, E. Mussulli and F. O'Neil guide a Guild program through the mimeograph . . . L. Wickstrom and E. Coady learn how to file records accurately . . . Seniors take a speed test. Sr. William James holds the stop watch.



CLUB

C. Greene, A. Volpe, A. Lucier, hold a discussion on a bookkeeping problem . . . E. Bradley decides on a stencil. D. Rogers, E. Drugan, R. Dufresne work at the mimeoscope . . . R. Kearney uses the electric typewriter. M. Converse employs the ediphone for a letter . . . Secretarial Science and Office Practice equip the Commercial students for competition in the field of business. Many plan to take the Civil Service exams to insure security in the future . . . F. O'Neil, J. Ennis, rear; P. Kearney, A. Lucier, A. Palmieri and N. Negus check personal files for practice.





THE TREE PLANTING

C. Jeffers and L. Wickstrom lead the girls in the class of 1955 down the steps of St. Mary's Central Catholic High School . . . The procession continues around the school under the watchful eye of Father Durkin . . . The class of 1954, escorted by the Juniors, await the tree oration of Anne Lioce . . . The procession returns to the front entrance for the Tree Program . . . Father Durkin, J. Davoren, G. Gauthier, President of 1954 and tree donor, A. Mastroianni.





THE SS CA AT HOLY CROSS

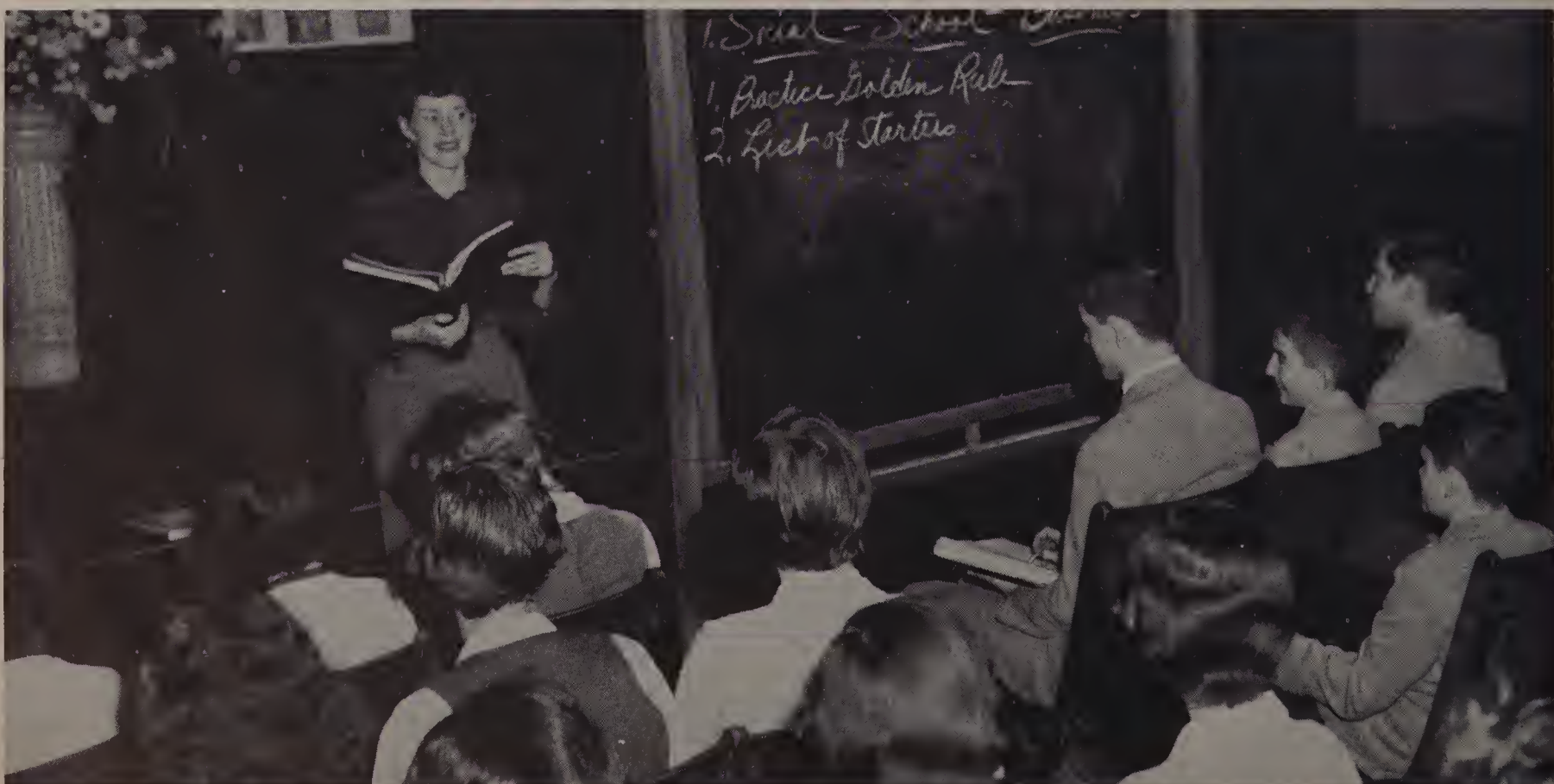
Time out for the S.S.C.A. at Holy Cross . . . Father Farnon poses with us on the steps of Kimball Hall . . . Father Ryan, S.J. an exiled missionary from China . . . Father Lord, S.J. acknowledges the Spiritual Bouquet given him by Bishop Wright . . . Father Lord begins each day with an inspirational talk . . . Bishop Wright, Father Donaghy, S.J., Holy Cross President, discuss S.S.C.A. business . . . Father Wobido's Recreation Hall attracts us . . . Father Sommer, Sodality Director, on Alumni steps.





THE SPOKEN WORD

The night of the Semi-Finals in the Diocesan Oratorical Contest found St. Mary's playing host to teams from St. Bernard's, Ascension, St. Peter's, Holy Name, Venerini and Assumption Prep . . . Oratorical winner, Ann Smyth, records her selection of G. B. Shaw's St. Joan . . . Mrs. Barton, Speech teacher, interests her class in the social graces as well as good diction.





ORATORICALS

Diocesan Oratorical Finalists pose with Bishop Wright. Left to right: E. Kaliszewski, R. Martin, R. Kelly, D. De Young, Bishop Wright, J. Gannon, J. Kurcharski, and G. Peterson . . . Mrs. Barton, Speech coach, discusses the coming Oratorical contest with St. Mary's school winners, A. Abbuiso, Mrs. Barton, G. Benoit, D. De Young, and A. Smyth . . . The girl finalists in the Oratoricals at the Little Theater in Worcester were, left to right: M. Halino, D. Wolf, J. D. Pasquale, Bishop Wright, Ann Smyth, P. Coomey and L. Gadbois.



CATHOLIC ACTION

Participants in Education Week Program. Seated: R. Goyette, B. Racine, M. Donovan, F. Darney, J. Di Nardo. Standing: D. Geoffroy, L. Salome, M. Murphy, D. De Young.



Three seniors, J. Ennis, R. Luchini, P. Beksha relax for a moment before starting to change the position of these pegs. Behind are: R. Krapp, R. Gagne, D. De Young, H. Wright.



Book Week was observed under Sister Rose Helen's supervision. W. Fitzgerald presided. "Books are keys to wisdom's treasure."



Miss McCarthy and Mr. Creighton use a stop watch on the students taking a test under the supervision of the State Employment Office. These tests determine certain patterns by which aptitudes for different professions are revealed.

St. Joseph's Guild Dance Committee sponsors a Senior Hop. Seated: Mrs. J. Kirby, J. Gorman, J. Bavosi, W. Fitzpatrick, F. Kearney. Standing: E. Duddy, G. Meade, F. Kearney, Father Farnon, W. Fitzpatrick, W. Fitzgerald, Sergeant J. Curley.



On with the dance!



Mad about music!

Officers of the High School D.C.Y. Council in action





OUR EXHIBIT AT THE TRADE SHOW

Elaine Dupre adjusts a telegraph pole on Main Street, the replica of Milford's main thoroughfare. An interested group examine our exhibit in the Town Hall.



Another interesting exhibit was the Biology man, whose detachable parts are being probed by C. Smith, C. Di Antonio and R. Goyette.



A section of the crowd attending the Milford Trade Show in the Town Hall. Another section occupied the State Armory.

MAGAZINE DRIVE

The prize winners are: D. Hayes, J. Daley, L. Poulin, P. Hayes, M. Robertson, J. Harrington, J. Flaherty, J. Laliberte, T. Murray, and R. Morin.



Left: Father Pitroff, D. De Young, Curtis Representative H. Galpin, M. Dean and M. Caccavelli.



Right: M. Thomas, S. Davoren, R. Gibbons, W. Barry, M. Dean.



J. Catusi, N. Armstrong, V. Ledoux, H. O'Grady, B. Bentley, P. Cantalupo, J. Diotte.





STUDENT GOVERNMENT DAY

Gov. Herter, with high school Representatives from Worcester County. D. DeYoung and W. Barry on the Governor's right, A. Smyth on his left and S. Davoren, seated at end of table, all from St. Mary's . . . D. DeYoung, being congratulated by his pals . . . Left to right: M. Powers, M.H.S. Representative, Hon. Michael Sherry, Speaker of the House, D. DeYoung, St. Mary's Representative, House Representative, John F. X. Davoren (St. Mary's, 1932) and E. Berebee, Upton . . . E. Davoren, Girls' State Representative in 1954, flanked on her left by the Hon. Michael Sherry and on her left, by her uncle, Rep. John F. X. Davoren . . . A. Smyth, S. Davoren, W. Barry and D. DeYoung, ready for Boston and Good Government Day at the State House.





STUDENT COUNCIL

W. Fitzgerald, Chief Justice of the S. C., briefs the members on court session to follow . . . Chairman of Ushers is F. Heron, here meeting with his aides, V. Ledoux, R. Choquette, F. Brown, J. Mill, F. Heron, B. Neal, J. Kirby, J. DesBarres . . . Seated: H. Cahill, M. Coady, M. Watson. Standing: F. Heron, E. Davoren, J. Palm, R. Wasnewski, chairmen of various activity committees of the S. C. . . . The members of the S. C. get in a huddle over plans for future activities . . . S. C. aides for the first recess for the Freshmen and Sophomores.



THE BLUE



The three Co-Editors. Joan DiNardo and Jean Des-Roches check with Carol McCue, who is typing the senior list for our pictures.



Seated: N. Bon Tempo, N. Negus. Clockwise: R. Goyette, S. Davoren, W. Barry, A. Lucier, E. Casey, M. Richards, M. Caccavelli. Standing: E. Davoren, M. Thomas, C. Dunton, D. Wilkinson.



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Nancy Negus, *Assistant Advertising Manager* for the Blue Mantle, checks the day's receipts with Noel Bon Tempo, *Business Manager* . . . M. Lynch and P. Kearney, *Booster Managers*.





As M. Thomas places a rose of love at the foot of the altar, all our hearts swell with loyalty and devotion.

Beautifully gowned in various hues are the girls representing "Hail Mary's" of the Living Rosary.



The queen of the Rosary smiles her approval of our Lady Day ceremony.

Our Rosary is a moving spectacle in honor of the Marian Year.



Under the shade of towering trees, we begin the recitation of the Rosary.



The attendants of the Queen pause in silent prayer before the statue.





Carrying a rose, each girl places it at Our Lady's feet.



The queen and her attendants pass through a cordon of girls.



OUR LADY IN HER MARIAN YEAR

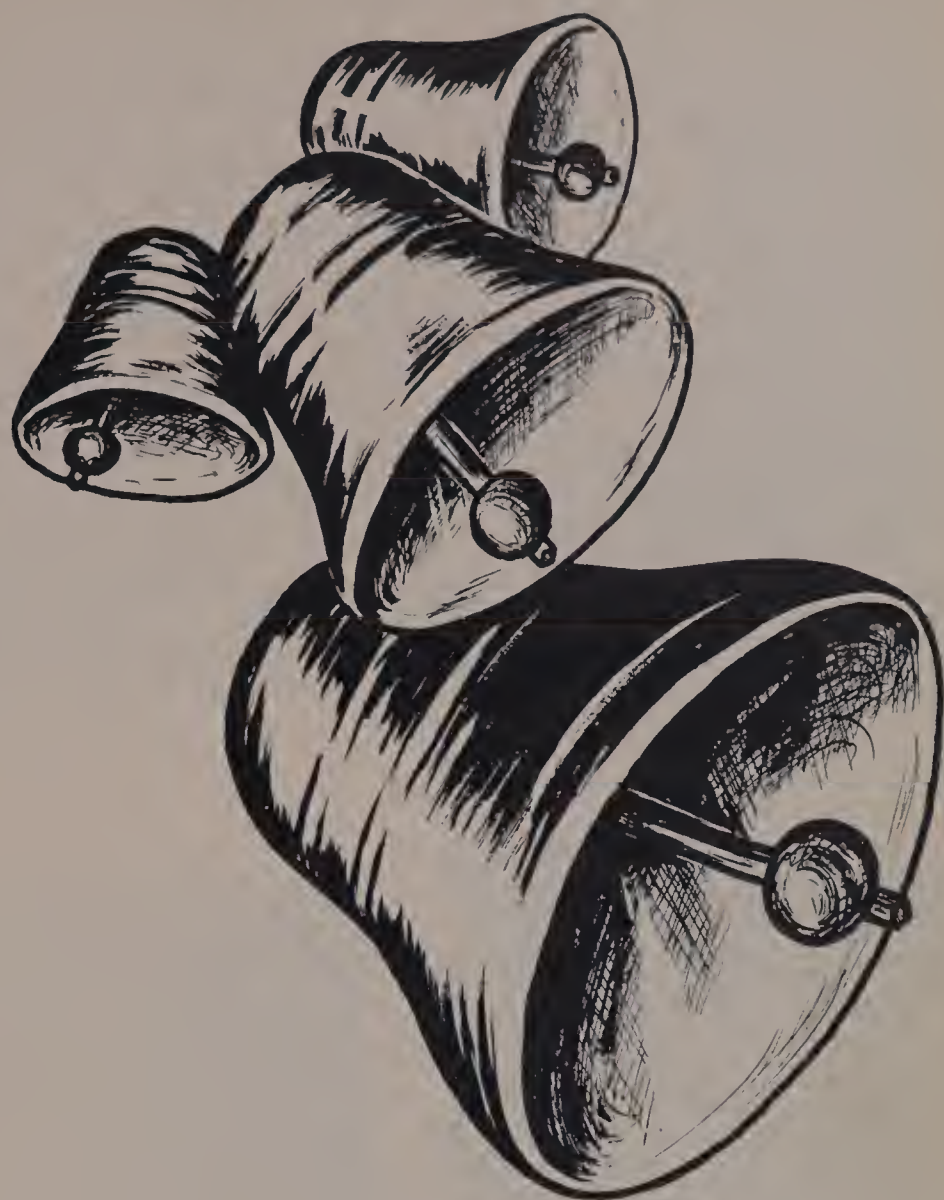
Nancy Negus, queen, flanked by two attendants, L. Wickstrom and K. Hayes.

Each girl or boy, in turn, places a rose at Mary's feet after reciting the Hail Mary.

Crossbearer and acolytes lead the rosary participants to the convent lawn for the ceremony.







THE

ATHLETICS



Catherine Tieuli



Helen Meade



Kathleen Fahey

Ann Smyth

Cheerleaders and Judy De Paolo

Mary Caccavelli



Marie Mussulli



Theresa Curley



Carol Di Antonio





Captain Caccavelli initiates a team cheer with a leap.



Ship—ship—ship ahoy! Coach Sayles! Rah!



A pep rally practice . . . a little clapping.

Mascot Judy De Paolo leads the cheering squad in Indian Chief.

Tomahawk! Tomahawk! Sis-boom-bah!



Kathleen Fahey, senior star at the Bowlaway, consistently bowls an excellent score at every week's practice.



Skill and technique help to develop a winning team. A. Lucier demonstrates how these traits help her to raise the score for her team.

QUEEN PINS

Sue Davoren aided by T. Curley begins to warm up before bowling a peppy senior team to victory.





Pat Meade displays a skilled technique, as she sends a well controlled ball down the alley for a strike.



Who's ahead? N. Negus consults E. Casey while P. Kearney, T. Curley, K. Fahey, M. Converse check the final scores.

A. M. Clement and A. Smyth display the form, style and coordination that are necessary to a good team.





Co-Captains
GENE SMITH and FRED DARNEY

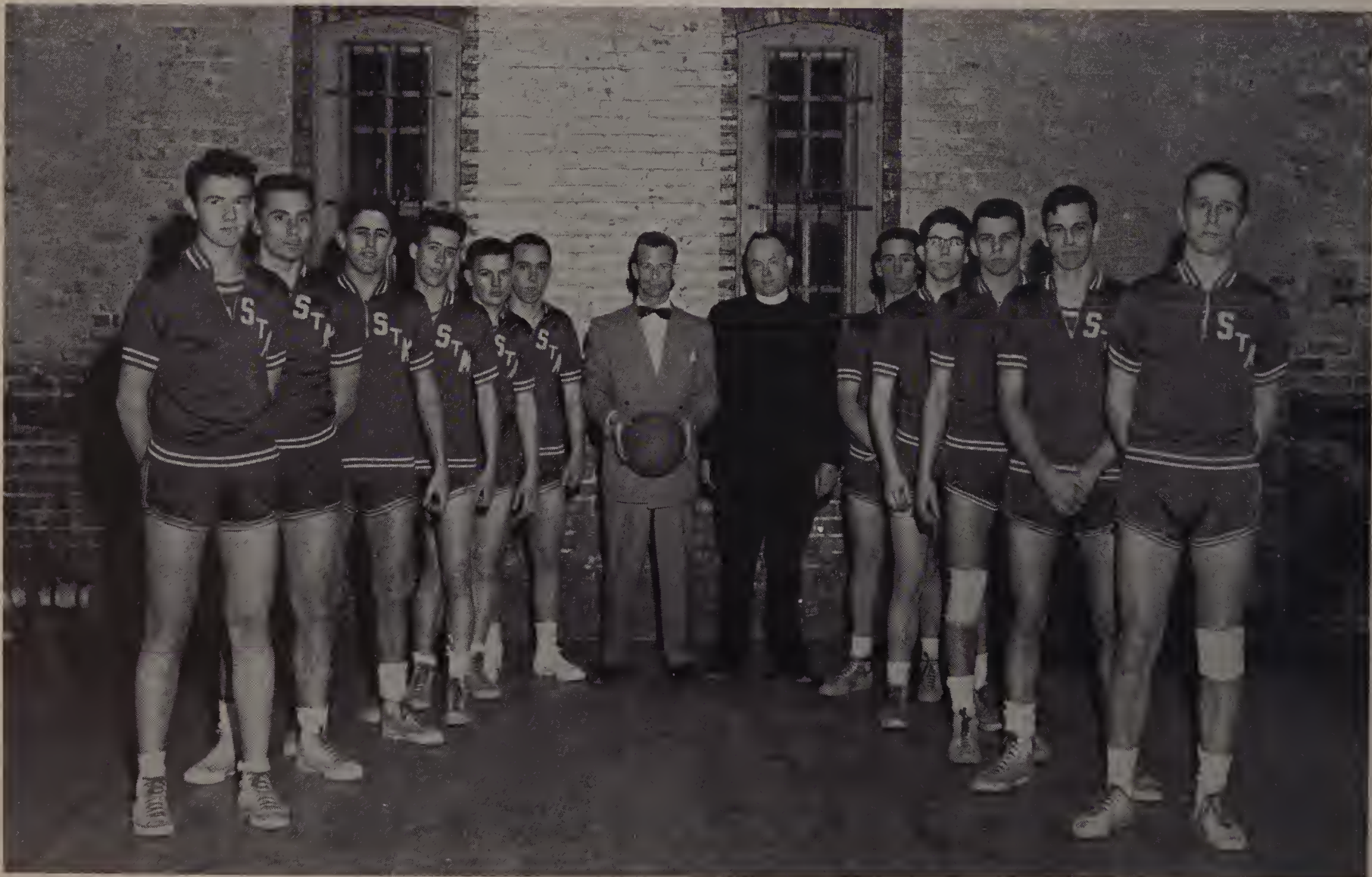
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SCHEDULE

Blackstone	Dec. 7
Bellingham	Dec. 10
Southbridge	Dec. 14
Blackstone	Dec. 23
Alumni	Dec. 28
Northbridge	Dec. 30
St. Mary's, Worcester	Jan. 4
Holy Name, Worcester	Jan. 8
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Southbridge	Jan. 14
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St. Mary's, Worcester	Jan. 21
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Bellingham	Feb. 1
Milford High	Feb. 5
St. Louis, Webster	Feb. 8
Milford High	Feb. 12
Milford High play-off	Feb. 19

Alzerini Trophy won by St. Mary's

THE VARSITY—J. Hayes, A. Hannigan, R. Dwyer, R. Hickey, J. Kirby, F. Heron, Coach Sayles, Father Pitroff, R. Barry, E. Reilly, E. Smith, H. Morelli, F. Darney.





1. Al Hannigan (17) goes up for a rebound against Sacred Heart Academy as Co-Captain Gene Smith (9) is ready to help.



2. Dick Dwyer and Gene Smith battle for rebound as Fred Heron (4) and Fred Darney (15) look on.

3. Co-Captain Gene Smith scores again on a driving lay up.

4. Co-Captain Fred Darney goes high in the air against Sacred Heart Academy.

5. Fred Darney (15) and Dick Dwyer scramble for a rebound against Sacred Heart.



BASEBALL



Baseball Captain, Bob Luchini, greets our new Athletic Director, Rev. Martin Manahan.

Seated: R. Barry, F. Heron, R. Luchini, J. Parker. Standing: E. Smith, J. Ryan, A. Nicelotti, J. Hayes.



Bob Luchini scores on a wild pitch by Milford High's ace hurler, Bob Stoico, in the annual Town Championship Baseball Series. Gene Smith, Saints' short-stop, tells Luchini there is no need to slide.





PATRICIA MEADE



LORRAINE GREGOIRE



EVELYN DAVOREN



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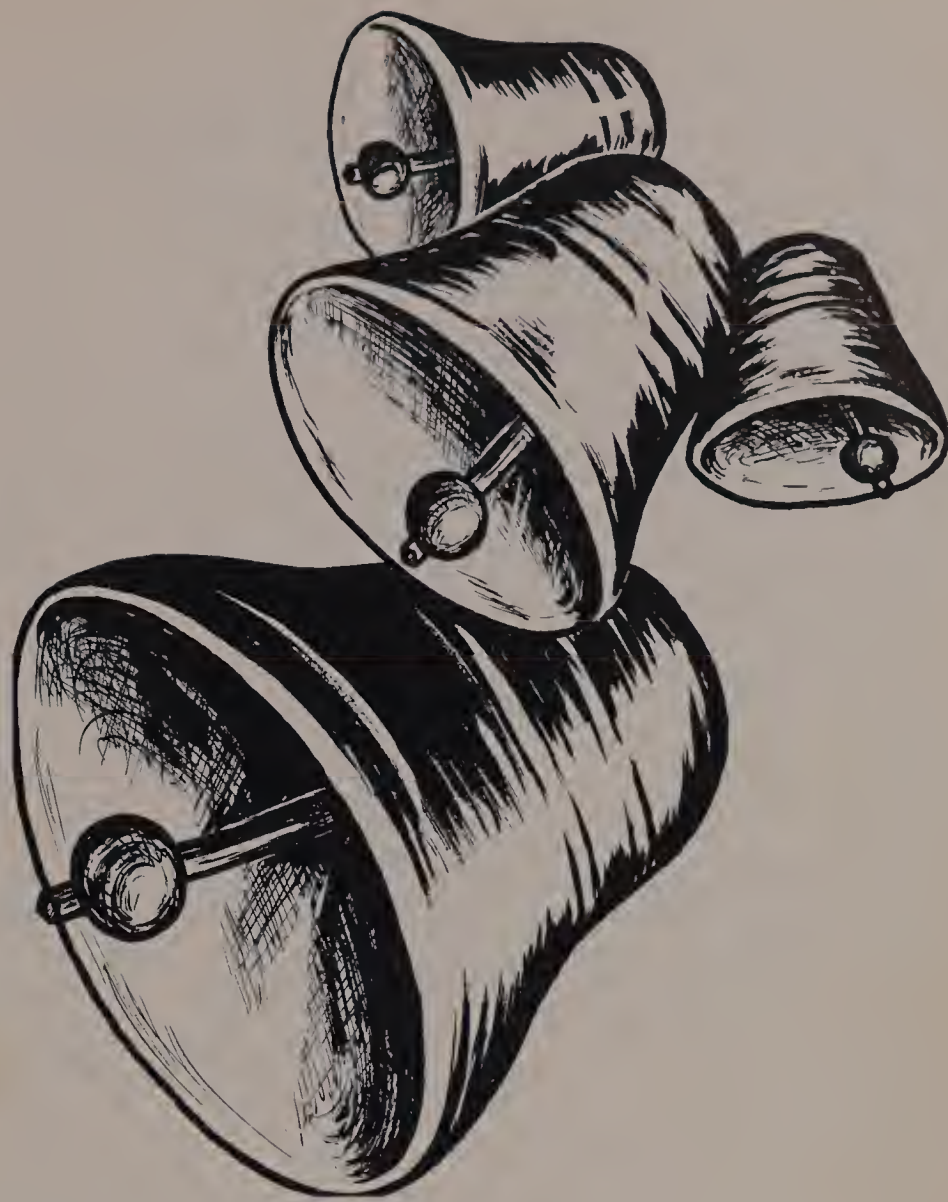
6. Kneeling: B. McAuliffe, D. D'Errico. Standing: R. Pontonio, C. Ferretti, N. Kearnan.

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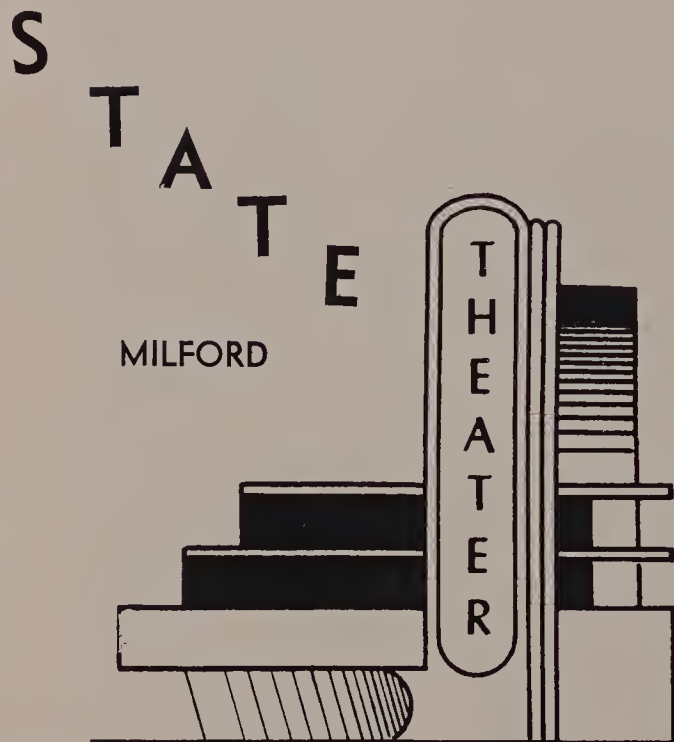
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Evie -
one of my
best friends.
I will never forget
you and the fun
I had with you
during high
school.
Always
Got

school
The Evie
I always remember
The three muskies
of S.W.A. The Duke, The Baily
and the doll.
Always
Pick "88"

Evie
I had a real cut
I had a real cut
I had a real cut
I had a real cut
I had a real cut
I had a real cut
I had a real cut
I had a real cut
I had a real cut
I had a real cut

Evie
To a cute
kid + swell
friend. Loads of
luck. Marion.

"Evie"
A terrific kid.
Keep up the good work,
and you'll always
succeed.
"Pat"

From
Rolling
frog who gallops
forevergo
Good Luck
Roue
'55

Good luck to a
good kid
-
Maeje

Evie -
I say the all in
truth have some
more for this
perhaps than any one
I know. Best of
luck in the future.
You deserve the
best.
Jerry

Evie
Lots of luck
to a swell girl
May God bless &
keep you.
Always a friend
Laine '55

Waples in
your future,
Laine '55

Evie
One of the nicest girls I
at S.W.A. You were a
wonderful leader and a
wonderful friend.
Always
Mary

Evie
One of my best
friends. Never
forget all the
wonderful times
we had.
Best always
Dan
H

Eric
Best of Luck
and thanks for
everything. May we
always be friends.

To Eric,
Lots of luck
Feb '56

Best of Luck
Louis
Salome

To Eric,
A dear friend and
sweet classmate. Lots
of luck.

always
"Peggy"
"55"

To a wonderful
kid, who is a
lot of fun
and has a terrific
personality.
Luck

To a tremendous
kid who I like
a lot. Good Luck
in college
Love Linda

To a swell kid
Lots of luck in
the future
"Jim" 56

To the best kid
in the senior
class, and has
a tremendous
personality. Always
remember you.
Paul Savin

To "Dw"
The best of
luck
To "Personality
Plus"
"Gene"

Ernie's Dad
H. Mary (55)

Remembering a very special
person. Lots of love
and luck.

and a very
cute girl with
charming personality
Always
Eather

Evie:
To the life of H. Mary's
Best of luck in the
future with the Duke
Love
Fathy

Evie
To a — one
of the cutest
I've ever
seen always
Annie
H

Evie
Good luck
in the future.
Always remember
Hattie

"Evie"

To the nicest
girl I know.
Always
Remember

Evie
Best of luck to
a real swell kid
"Loni"
Pat

"Evie"
To my oldest sister
and wisest sister
who I will never
forget. You and every
thing you have
done for me.
Love
Jara

"Willy Taylor"

~~Love~~
The spark in the family
luck & happiness always
all my love
Mary Jean

